

# Septic Shock

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# Epidemiology

- 240 cases/ 100 000 USA between 1979-2000 (Martin G, NEJM 2003)
- 10 admissions/100 ICU admission (Annane D, AJRCCM 2003)
- Mortality rate between 30-60%
  - despite new treatments : corticosteroids, activated protein C
  - Explanation: more aged and severe patients

# Diagnostic and monitoring techniques used in septic shock patients

## ■ Swan-Ganz catheter:

- 37% in septic shock are managed with SG catheter (Annane D, AJRCCM 2003)
- Invasive tool but two studies demonstrated
  - French multicentrique study in septic shock and pulmonary oedema : no decrease in the mortality rate (Richard Ch, JAMA 2004)
  - In high risk surgical patients (Sandham), no decrease in the mortality rate.

## ■ Autres : Picco, Doppler oesophagien

# **Early Use of the Pulmonary Artery Catheter and Outcomes in Patients With Shock and Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome**

## **A Randomized Controlled Trial**

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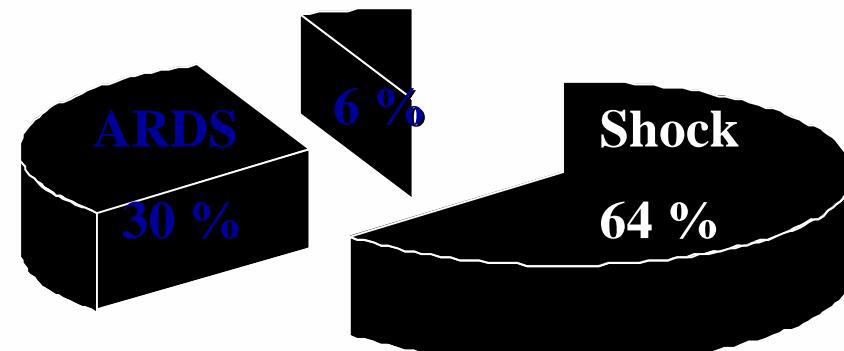
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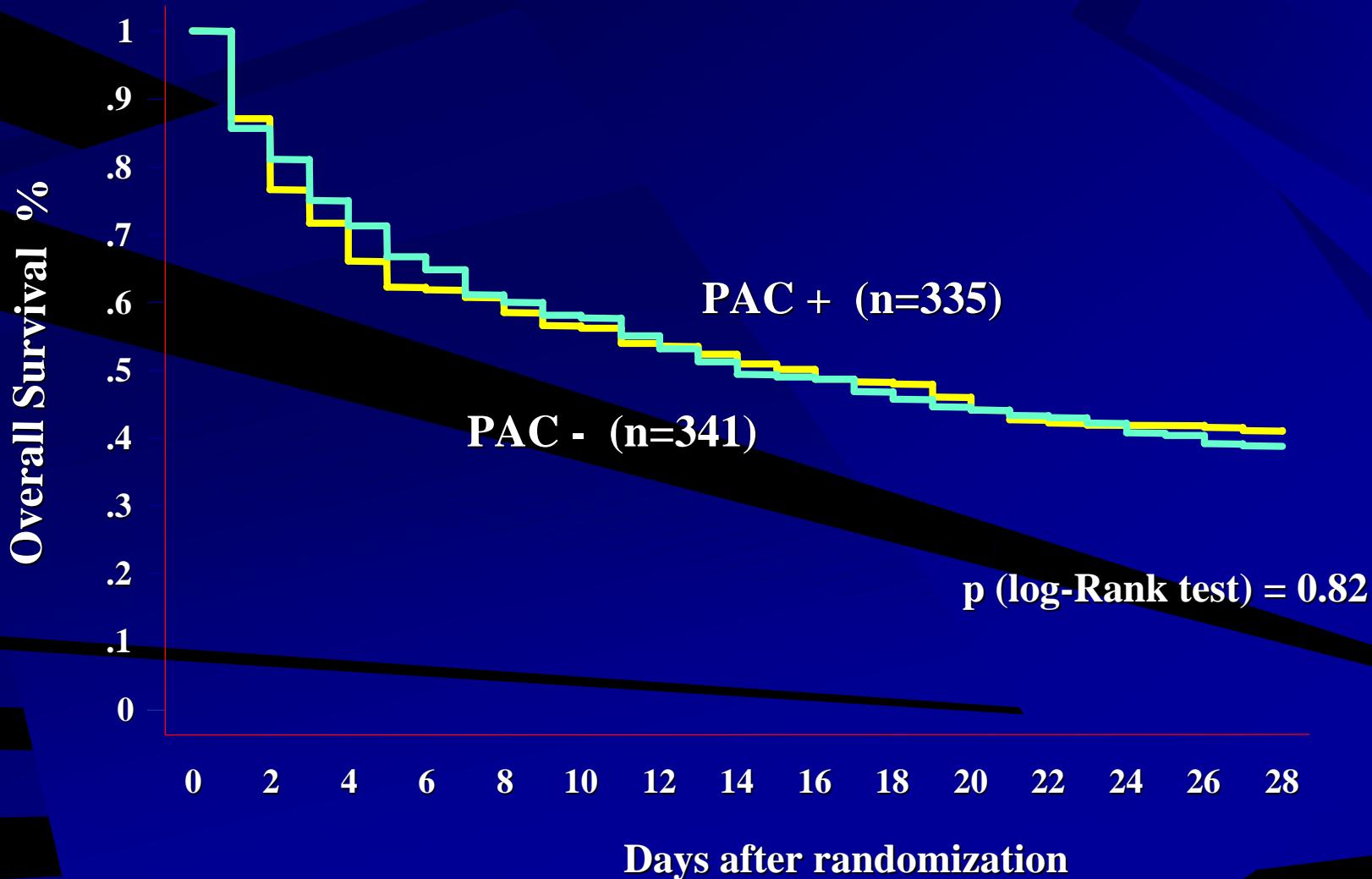
**676 patients**

**Shock + ARDS**



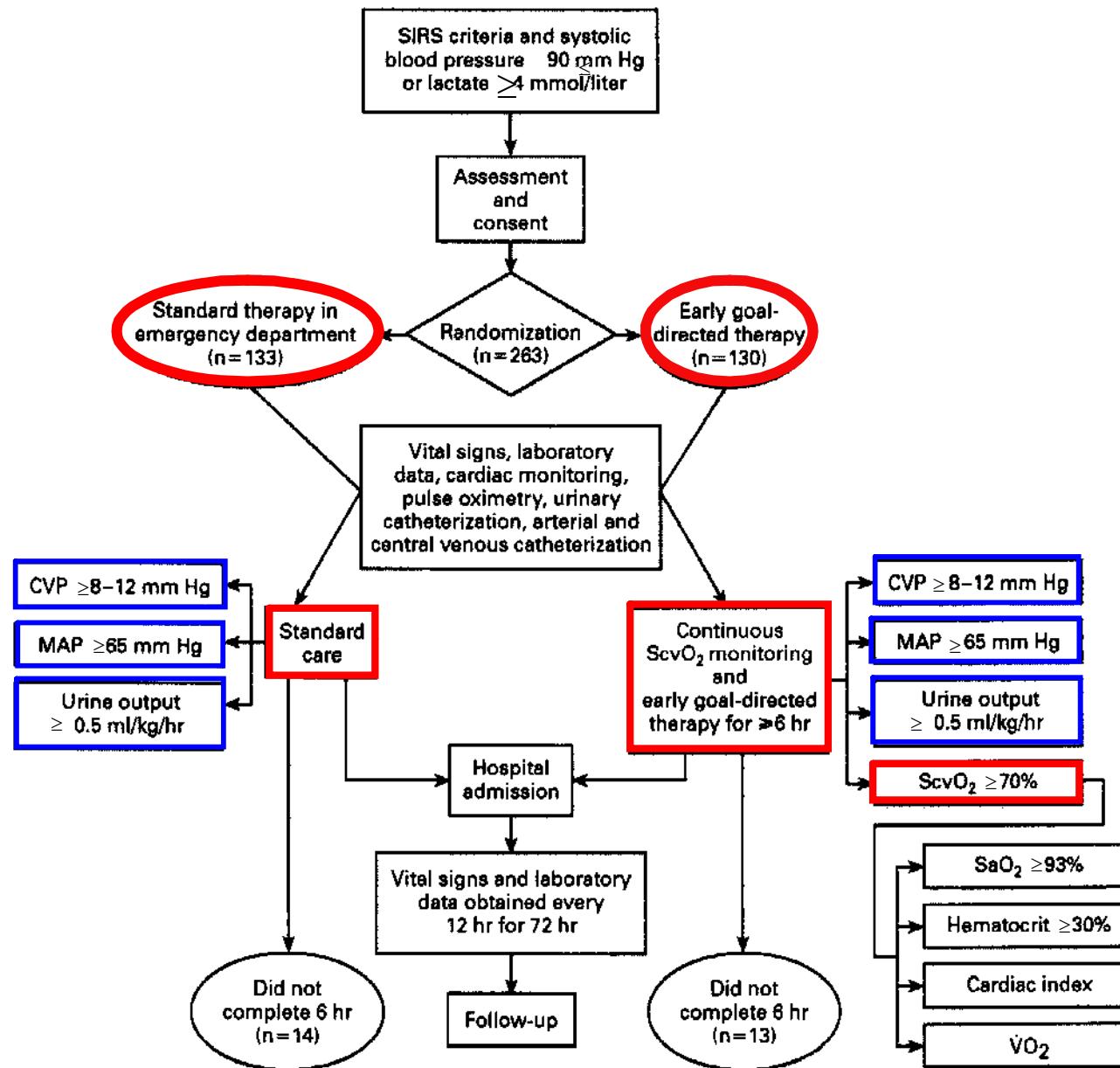
**JAMA 2003, 290:2717-20**

# Mortality at day 28



## EARLY GOAL-DIRECTED THERAPY IN THE TREATMENT OF SEVERE SEPSIS AND SEPTIC SHOCK

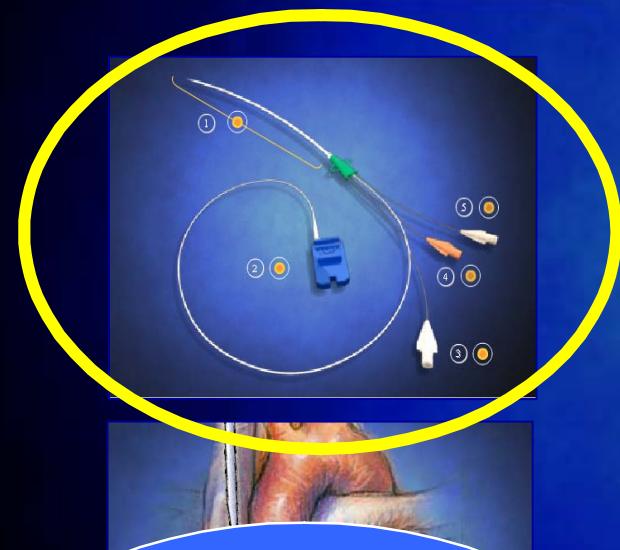
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# Early Treatment Protocol

Supplemental oxygen ± endotracheal intubation and mechanical ventilation

Central venous and arterial catheterization



Une unité spécifique de prise en charge (9 lits) 1 médecins, 2 internes, 3 infirmières

Sedation, paralysis (if intubated), or both

<8 mm Hg

CVP

8-12 mm Hg

MAP

≥ 65 and ≤ 90 mm Hg

ScvO<sub>2</sub>

<65 mm Hg  
>90 mm Hg

Crystallloid

Colloid

Vasoactive agents

Transfusion of red cells until hematocrit ≥30%

Inotropic agents

Goals achieved

No

Hospital Admission

Yes

Rivers NEJM 2001

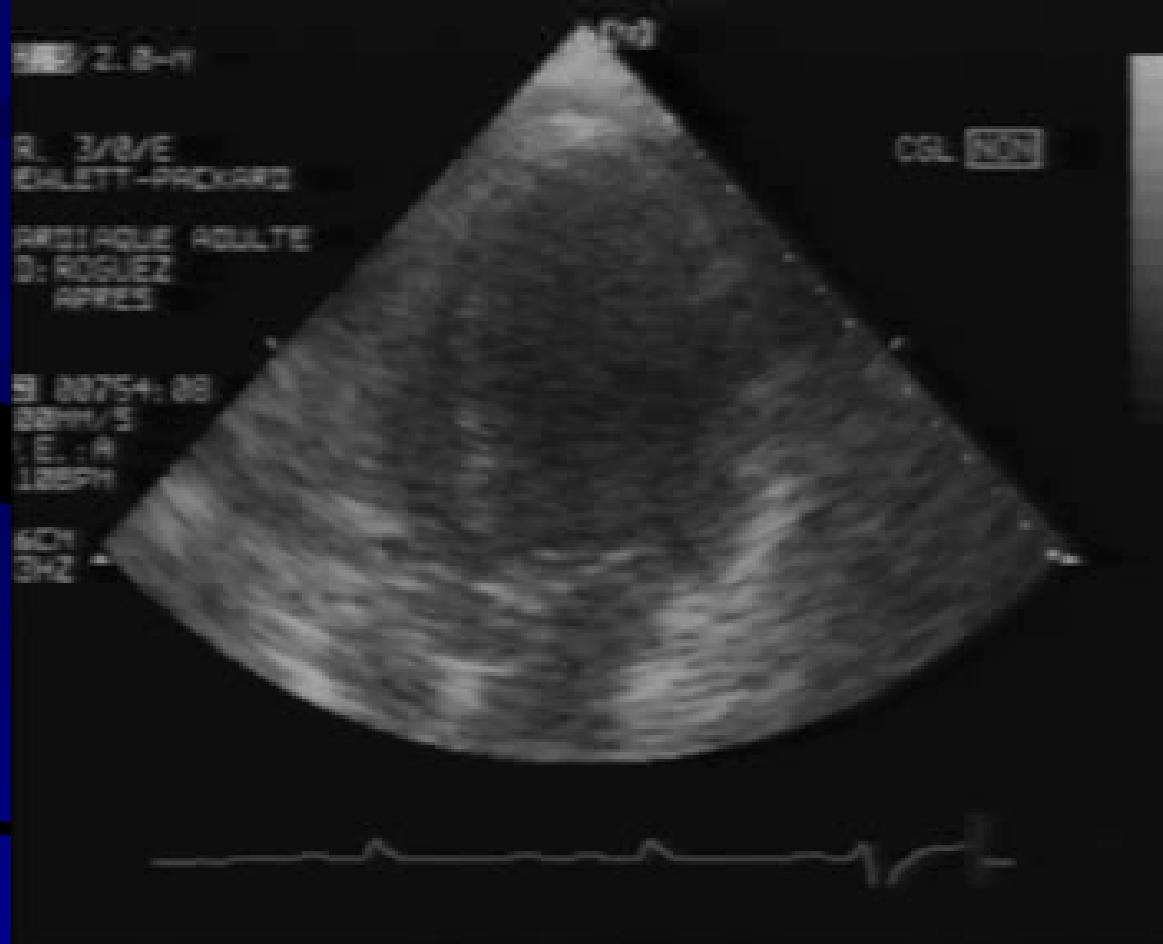
**TABLE 3. KAPLAN-MEIER ESTIMATES OF MORTALITY AND CAUSES OF IN-HOSPITAL DEATH.\***

| VARIABLE                       | STANDARD THERAPY<br>(N= 133) | EARLY<br>GOAL-DIRECTED<br>THERAPY<br>(N= 130) | RELATIVE RISK<br>(95% CI) | P VALUE |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|---|---------------------------|---------|
|                                |                              |   | no. (%)                   |         |
| In-hospital mortality†         |                              |   |                           |         |
| All patients                   | 59 (46.5)                    | 38 (30.5)                                     | 0.58 (0.38–0.87)          | 0.009   |
| Patients with severe sepsis    | 19 (30.0)                    | 9 (14.9)                                      | 0.46 (0.21–1.03)          | 0.06    |
| Patients with septic shock     | 40 (56.8)                    | 29 (42.3)                                     | 0.60 (0.36–0.98)          | 0.04    |
| Patients with sepsis syndrome  | 44 (45.4)                    | 35 (35.1)                                     | 0.66 (0.42–1.04)          | 0.07    |
| 28-Day mortality†              | 61 (49.2)                    | 40 (33.3)                                     | 0.58 (0.39–0.87)          | 0.01    |
| 60-Day mortality†              | 70 (56.9)                    | 50 (44.3)                                     | 0.67 (0.46–0.96)          | 0.03    |
| Causes of in-hospital death‡   |                              |   |                           |         |
| Sudden cardiovascular collapse | 25/119 (21.0)                | 12/117 (10.3)                                 | —                         | 0.02    |
| Multiorgan failure             | 26/119 (21.8)                | 19/117 (16.2)                                 | —                         | 0.27    |

# Echocardiographic examination

- Transthoracic vs transesophageal echocardiography
  - TTE
    - More than 80% of clinical problems solved
    - Non invasive technique
    - Easy to perform
    - Echogenicity
    - Cost-effectiveness
  - TEE
    - Semi invasive
    - Monitoring technique
    - Side effects (mortality rate <0,01%) (Daniel)

# Echogénicité



# Impact thérapeutique de l'ETO

| Auteurs (années)   | Patients<br>(n) | Impact<br>thérapeutique<br>(%) |
|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| Oh (1990)          | 51              | 24                             |
| Vignon (1994)      | 96              | 44                             |
| Heidenreich (1995) | 61              | 68                             |
| Poelaert (1995)    | 108             | 43                             |
| Sohn (1995)        | 124             | 52                             |
| Slama (1996)       | 61              | 20                             |
| Colreavy (2002)    | 255             | 34                             |

Aucune étude n'a démontré une amélioration du pronostic, de la morbidité, ni de la mortalité en réanimation.

# Complications de l'ETO

## ■ Réanimation

- 20% saignements mineurs de la cavité buccale
- 4-5% de complications (Slama, Oh, Pearson)
- Perforation oesophagienne (petite taille, radiothérapie).
- Embolie périphérique (anévrysme aortique, thrombus de l'OG).
- Fractures cervicales.
- Autres : tachycardie, détresse respiratoire, état de mal épileptique, vomissements. Pas séquelles de ces complications.

Le plus souvent excellente tolérance

# Physiopathology

- Several mechanisms induce circulatory failure
  - Absolute decrease in central blood volume
  - Relative decrease in central blood volume
  - Severe peripheral vasodilation
  - Systolic and diastolic dysfunction of left ventricle
  - Right ventricular failure

Etat de choc  
d'allure septique



Cathéter radial et  
Echocardiographie

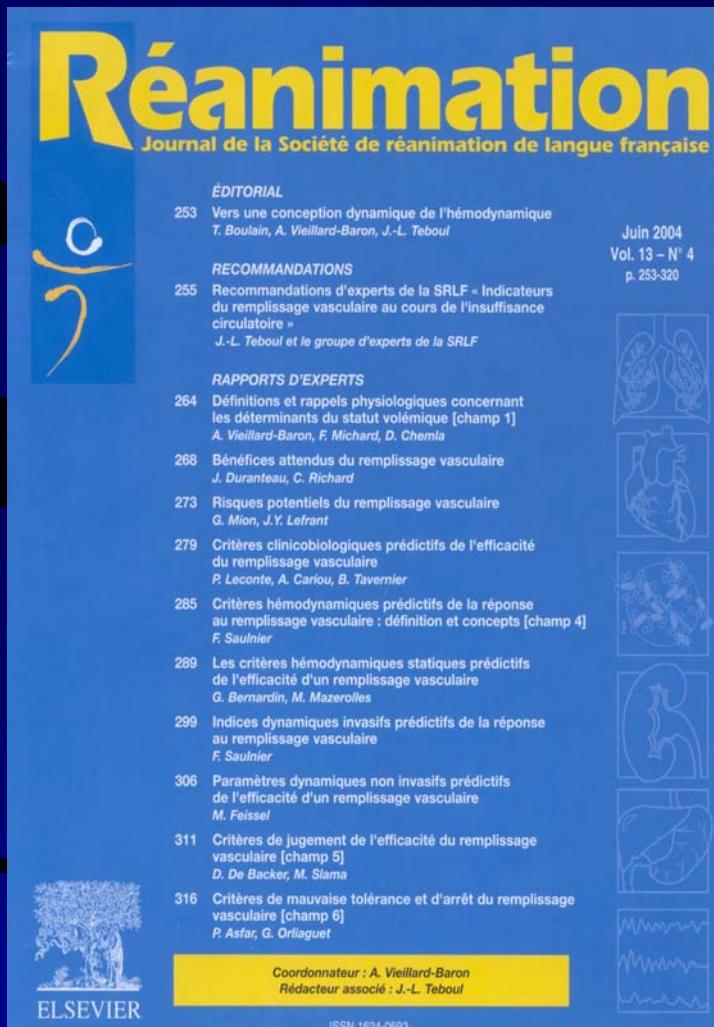


Besoin en  
remplissage

# « What are your indicators for volume replacement (diagnostic tools) ? »

Boldt et al. Intensive Care Med 1998; 24:147-151

|      |      |
|------|------|
| PVC  | 93 % |
| PAPO | 58 % |
| ETO  | 2 %  |



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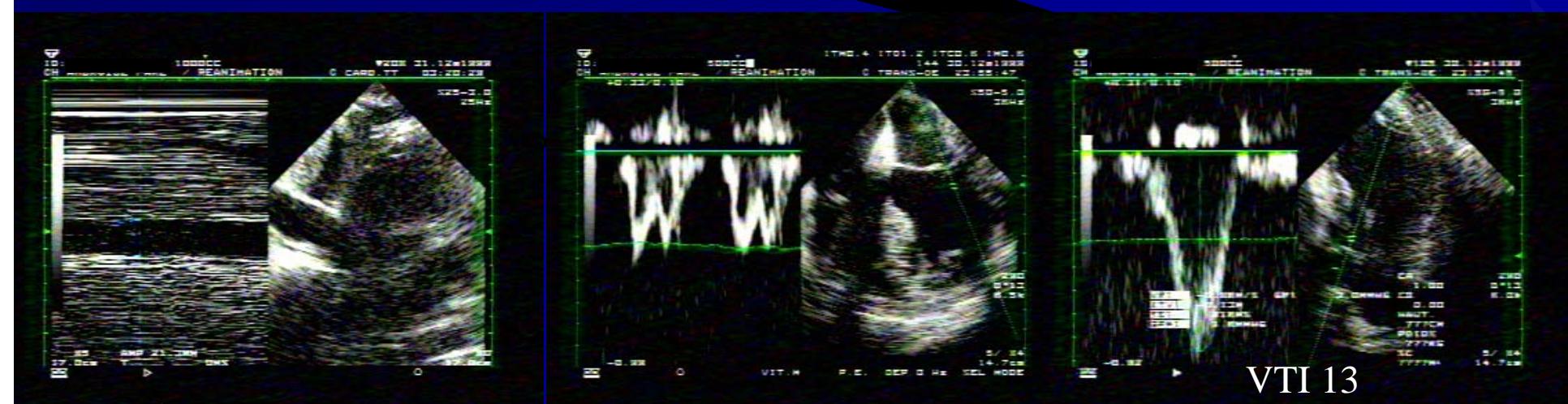
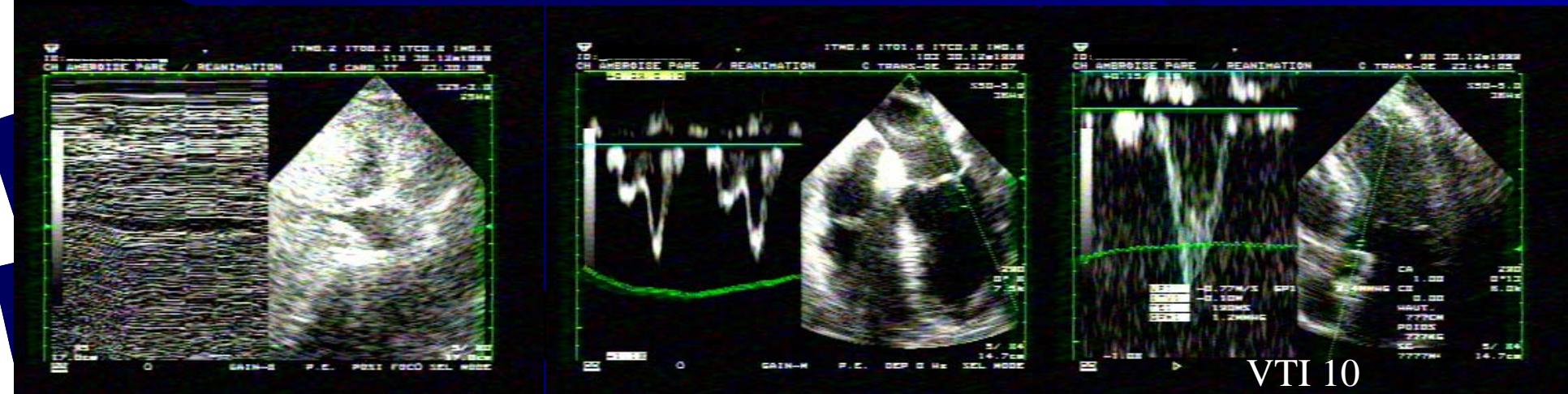
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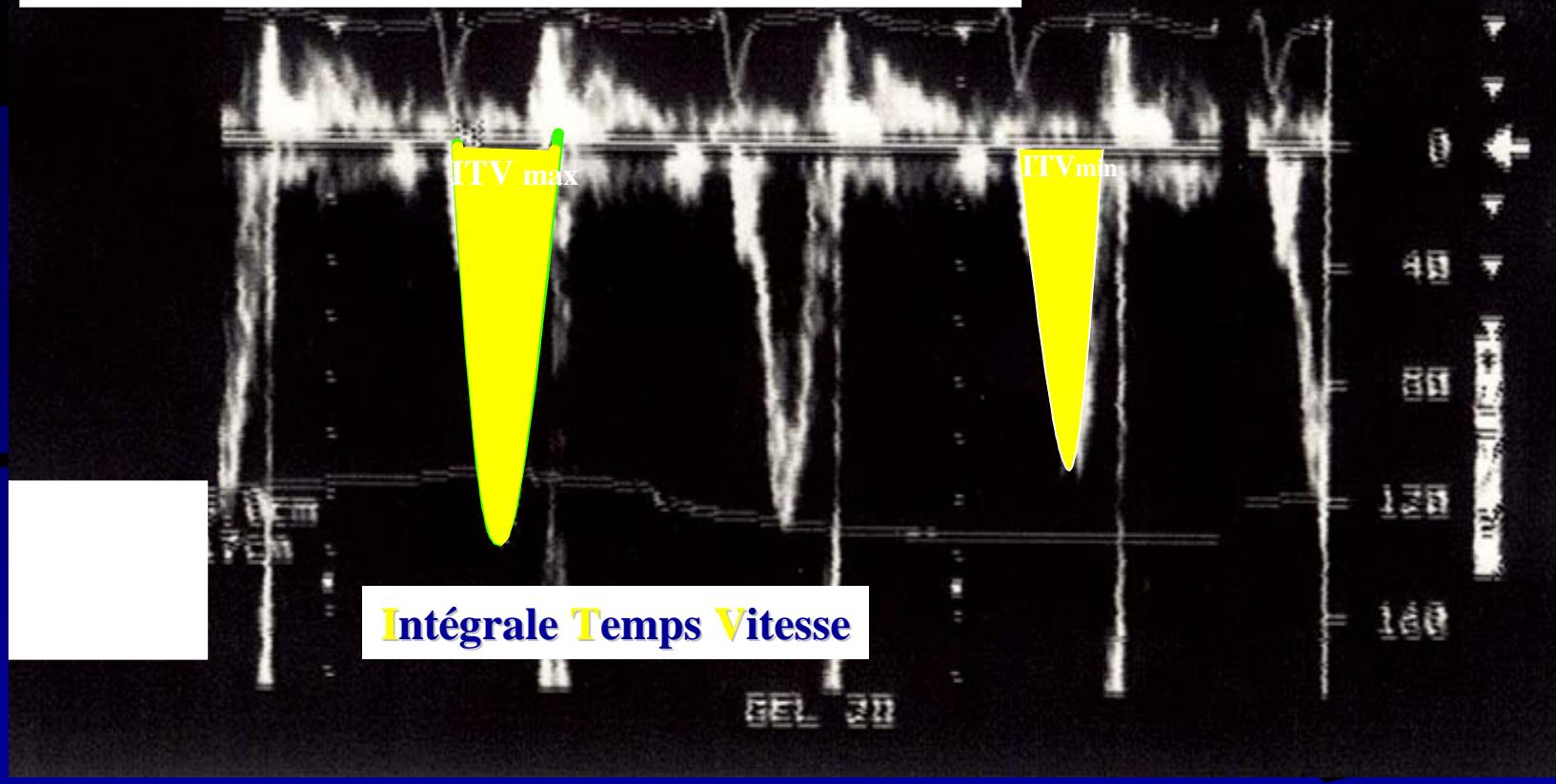
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« En dehors de situations caricaturales (pressions très basses ou très élevées), l'estimation des pressions de remplissage à l'échocardiographie ne permet pas de prédire la réponse au remplissage »



Volume d'éjection = ITV x surface aortique

$$\Delta \text{ITV \%} = \frac{\text{ITV}_{\text{max}} - \text{ITV}_{\text{min}}}{(\text{ITV}_{\text{max}} + \text{ITV}_{\text{min}})/2}$$

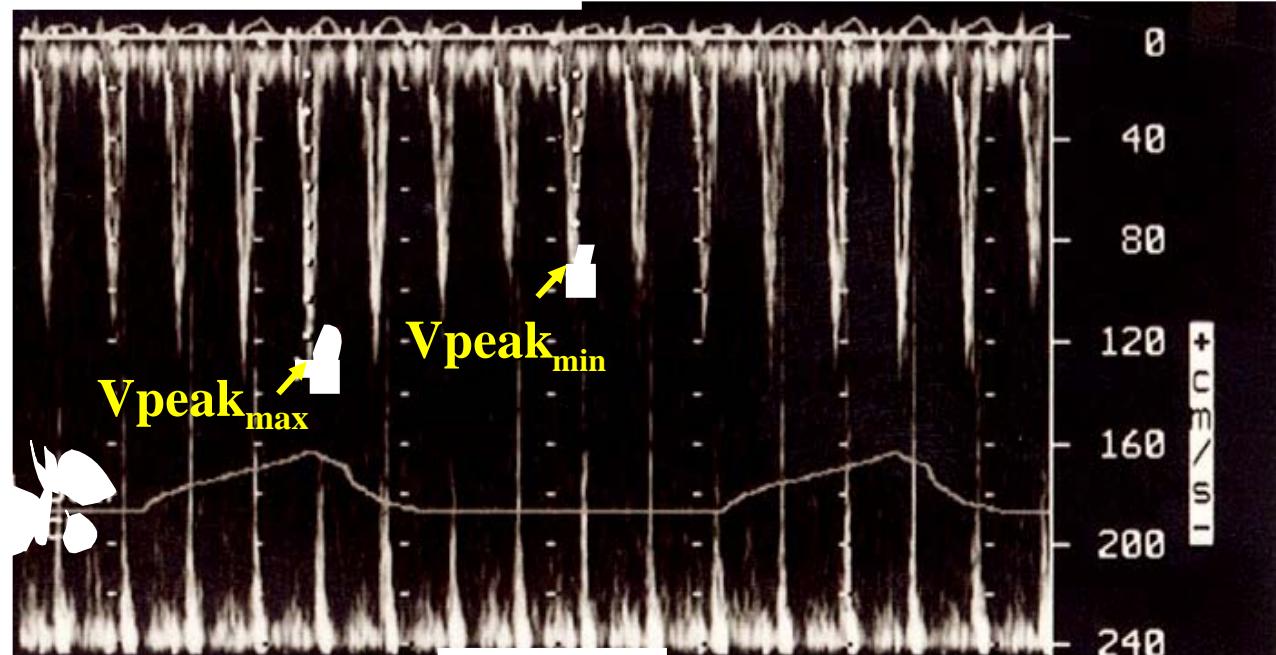


$\Delta V_{peak} : 33 \%$

Cardiac output  
will increase

$$\Delta V_{peak} = \frac{V_{peak_{max}} - V_{peak_{min}}}{(V_{peak_{max}} + V_{peak_{min}})/2}$$

by more than 40 %  
after fluid infusion



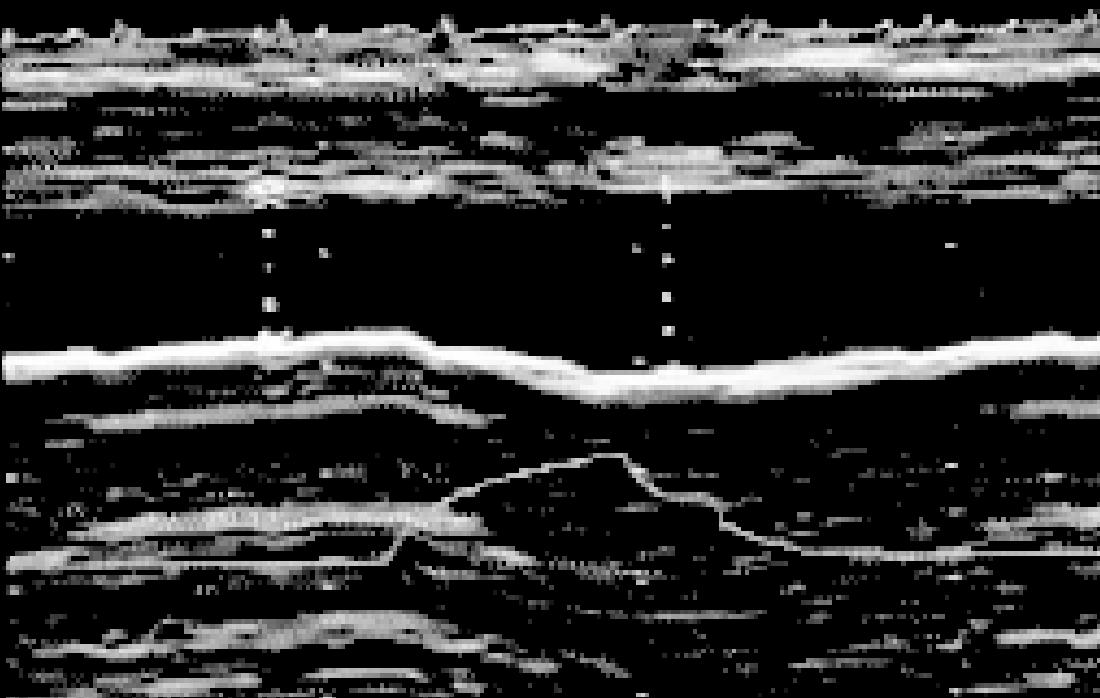
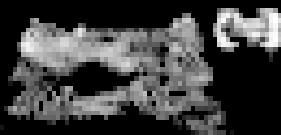
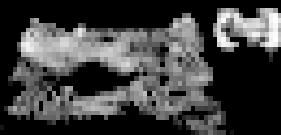
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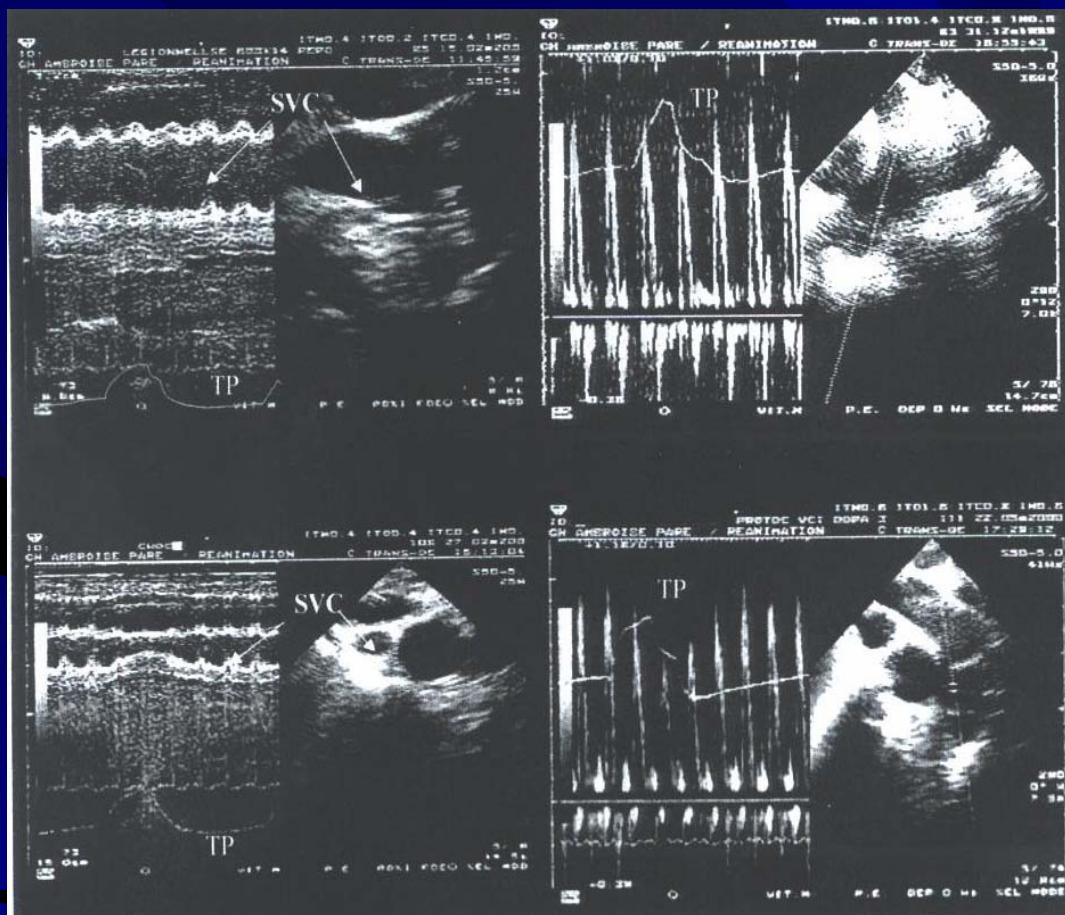
**22%**

Réanimation et Maladies

Infectieuses

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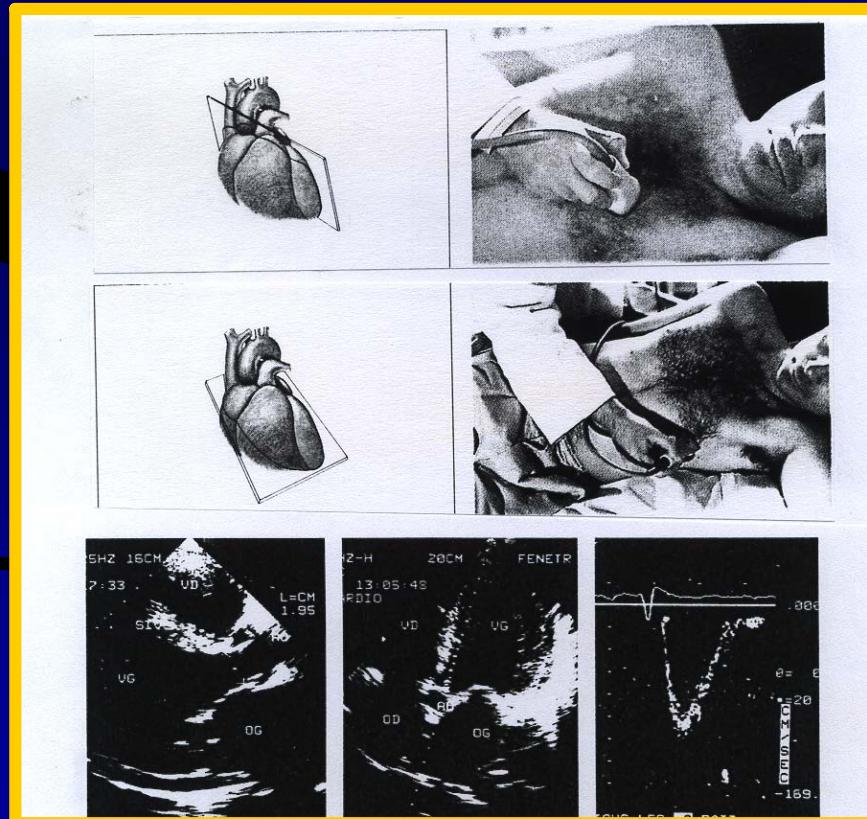




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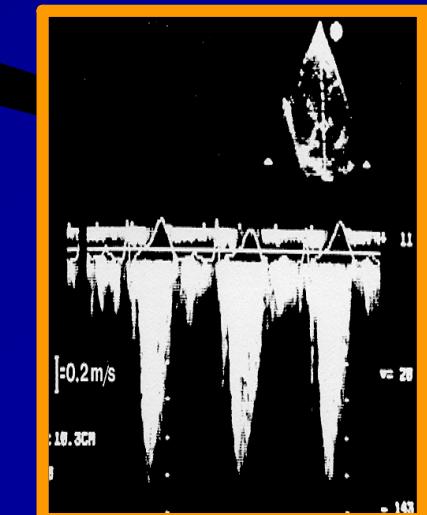
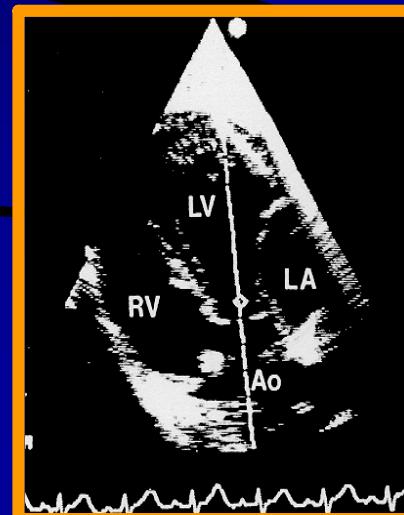
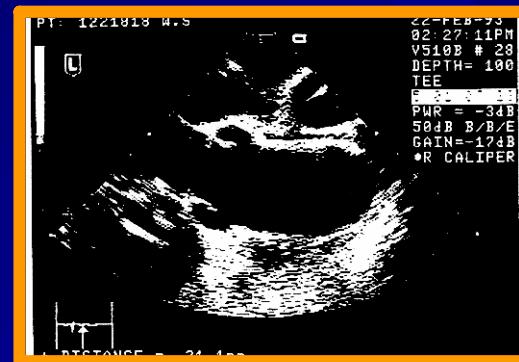
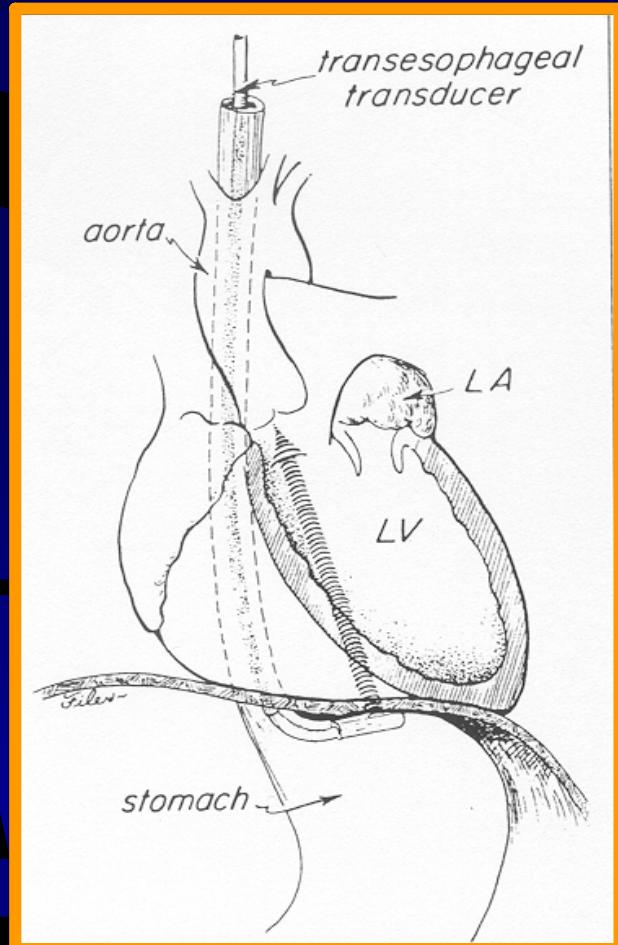
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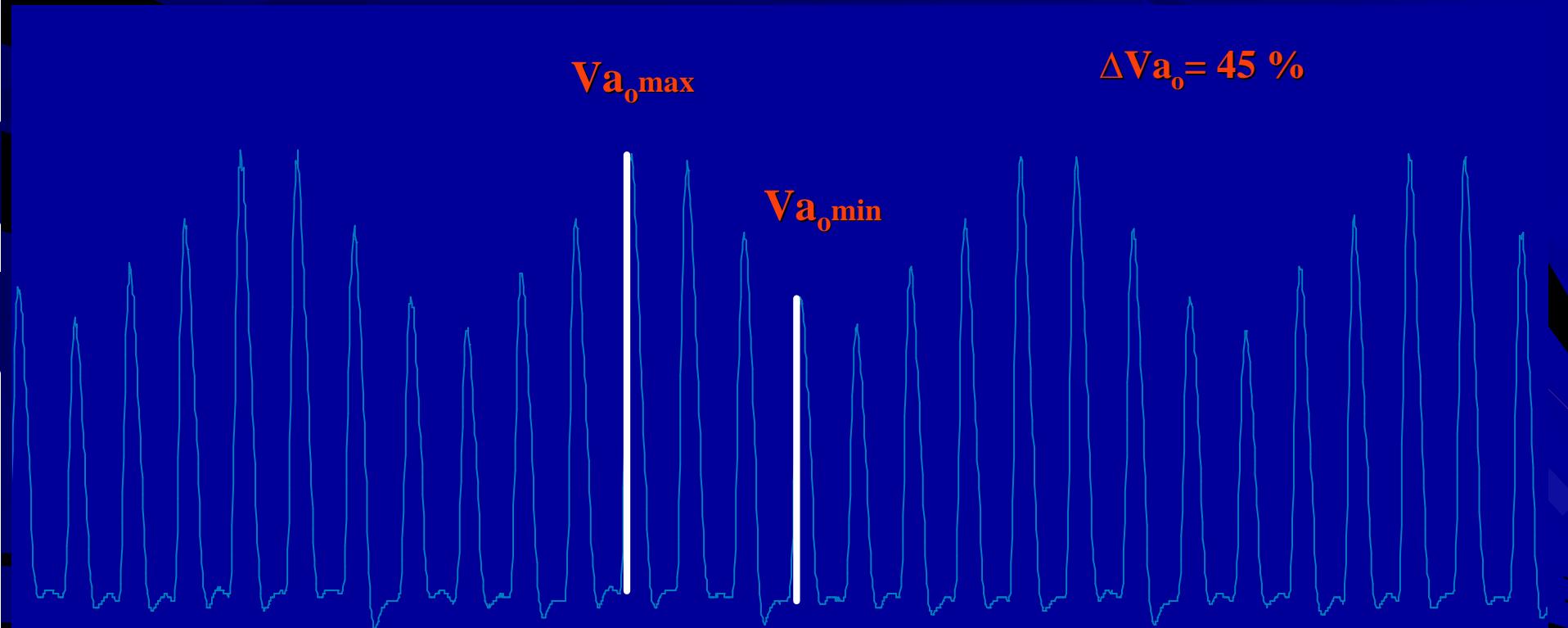


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## ■ Cardiac output TTE:



# Respiratory changes of aortic blood flow velocity in an animal model of hemorrhagic shock



# Evaluation des besoins et suivi

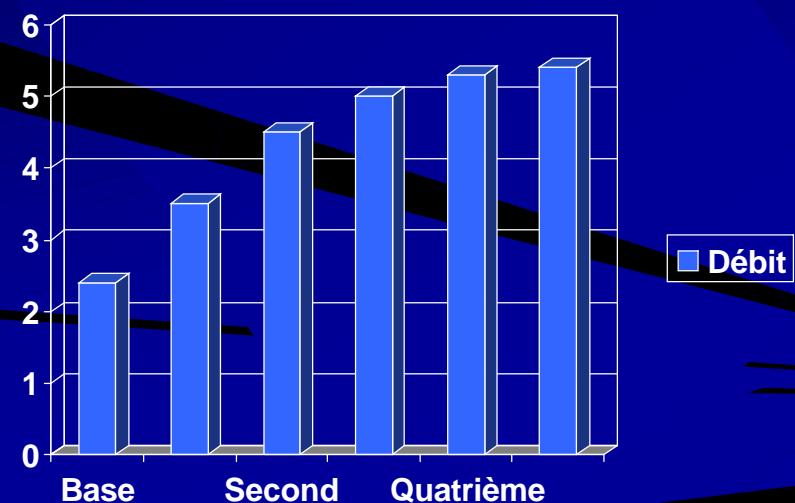
- Variations respiratoires

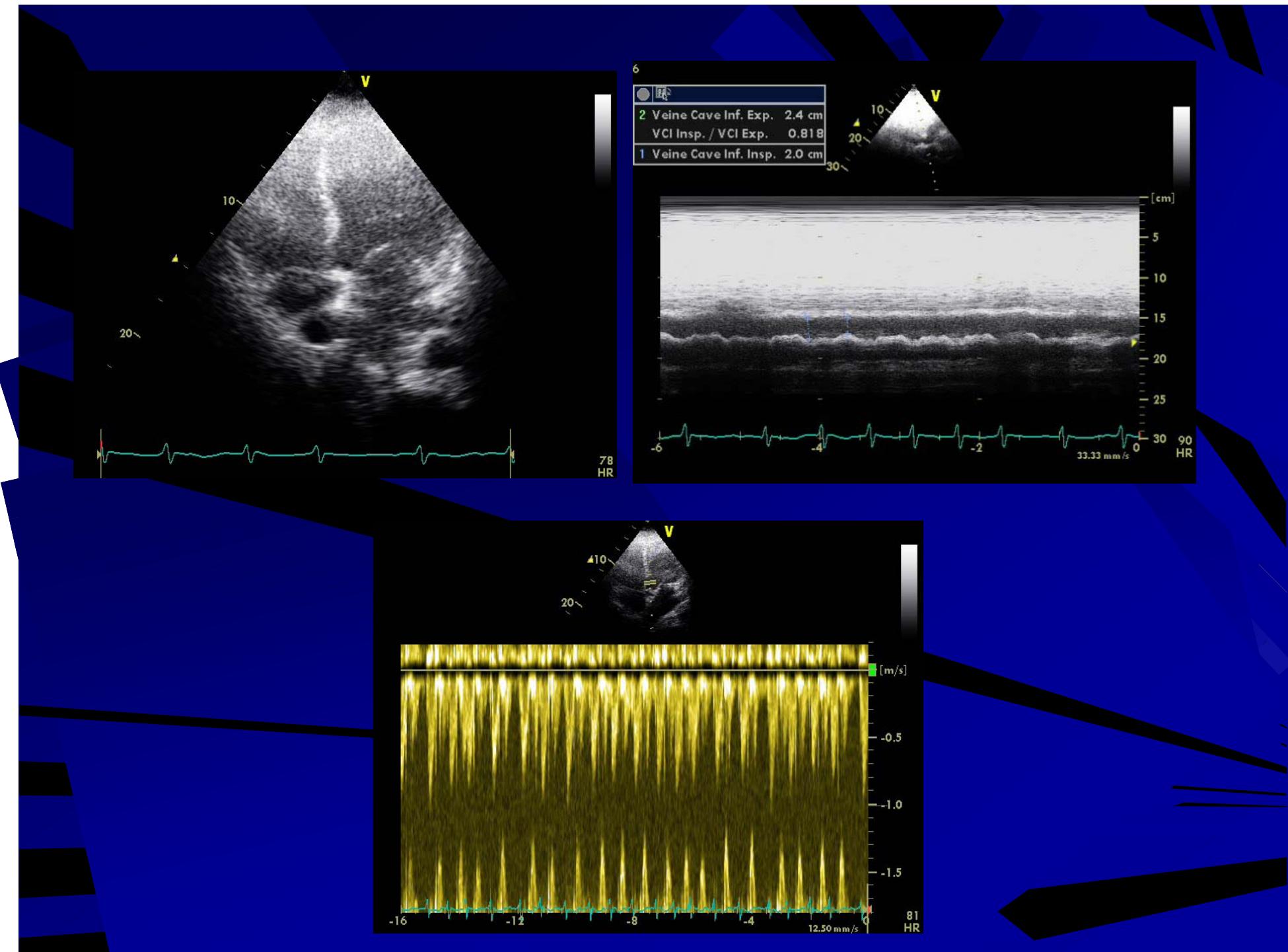
- VCI > 12% (18%)
- VCS > 36 %
- Vmax Ao > 12% (18%)
- Vao Doppler oesophagien > 12%

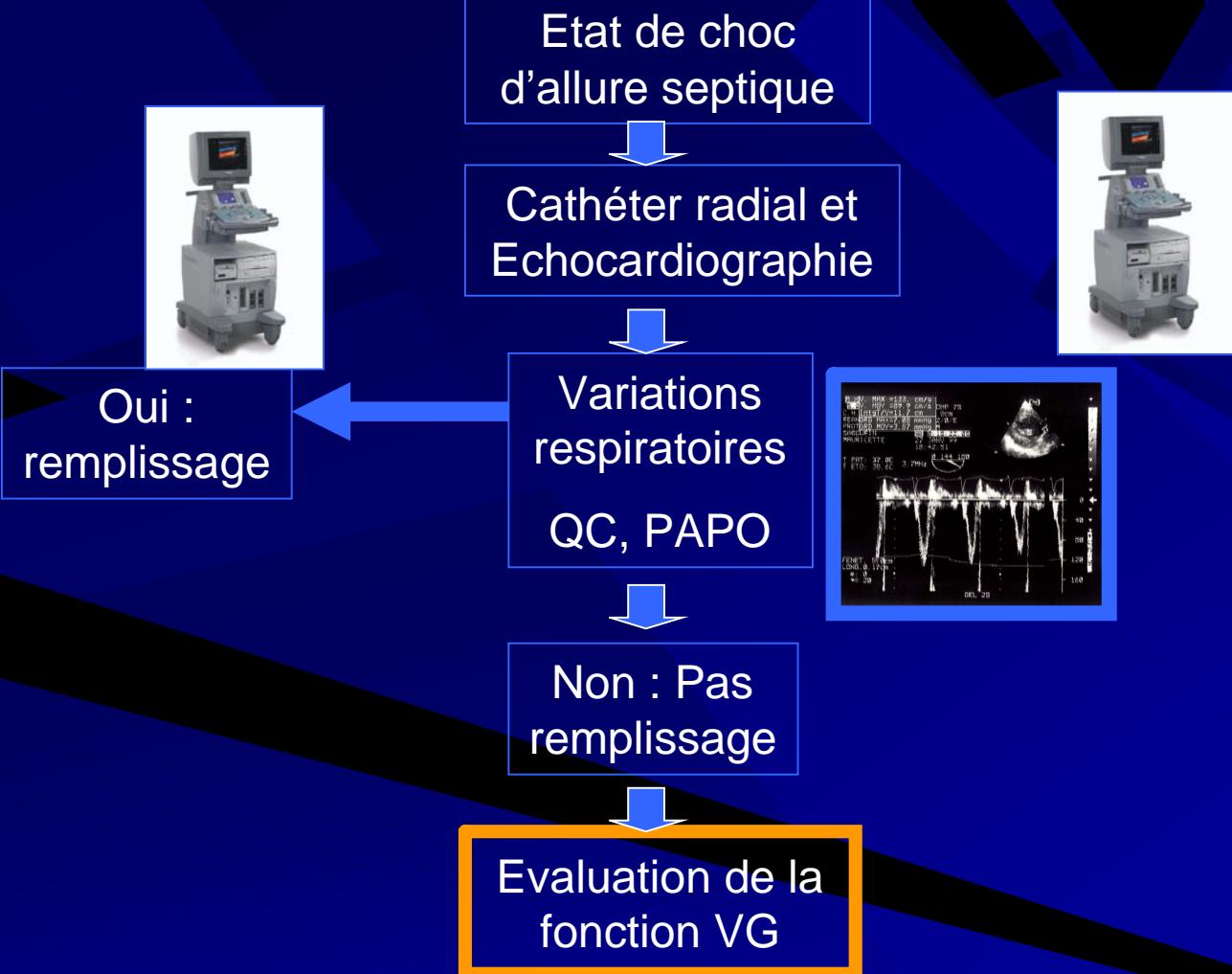
- Lever jambe > 8-12%

- Débit cardiaque bas

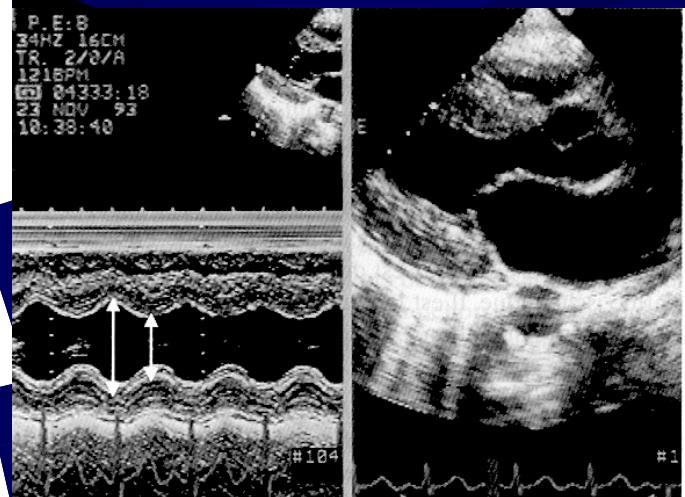
- Tolérance PAPO







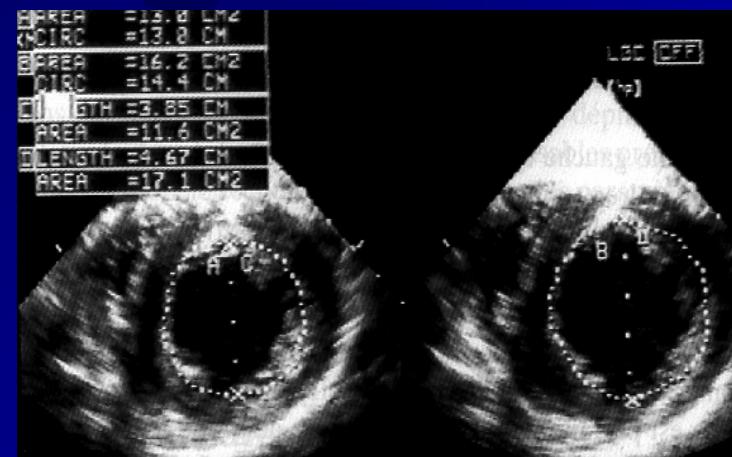
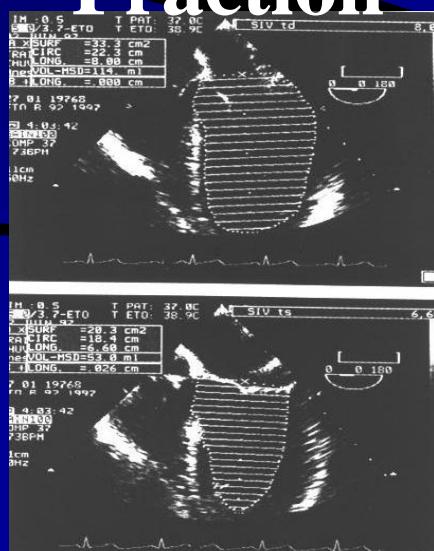
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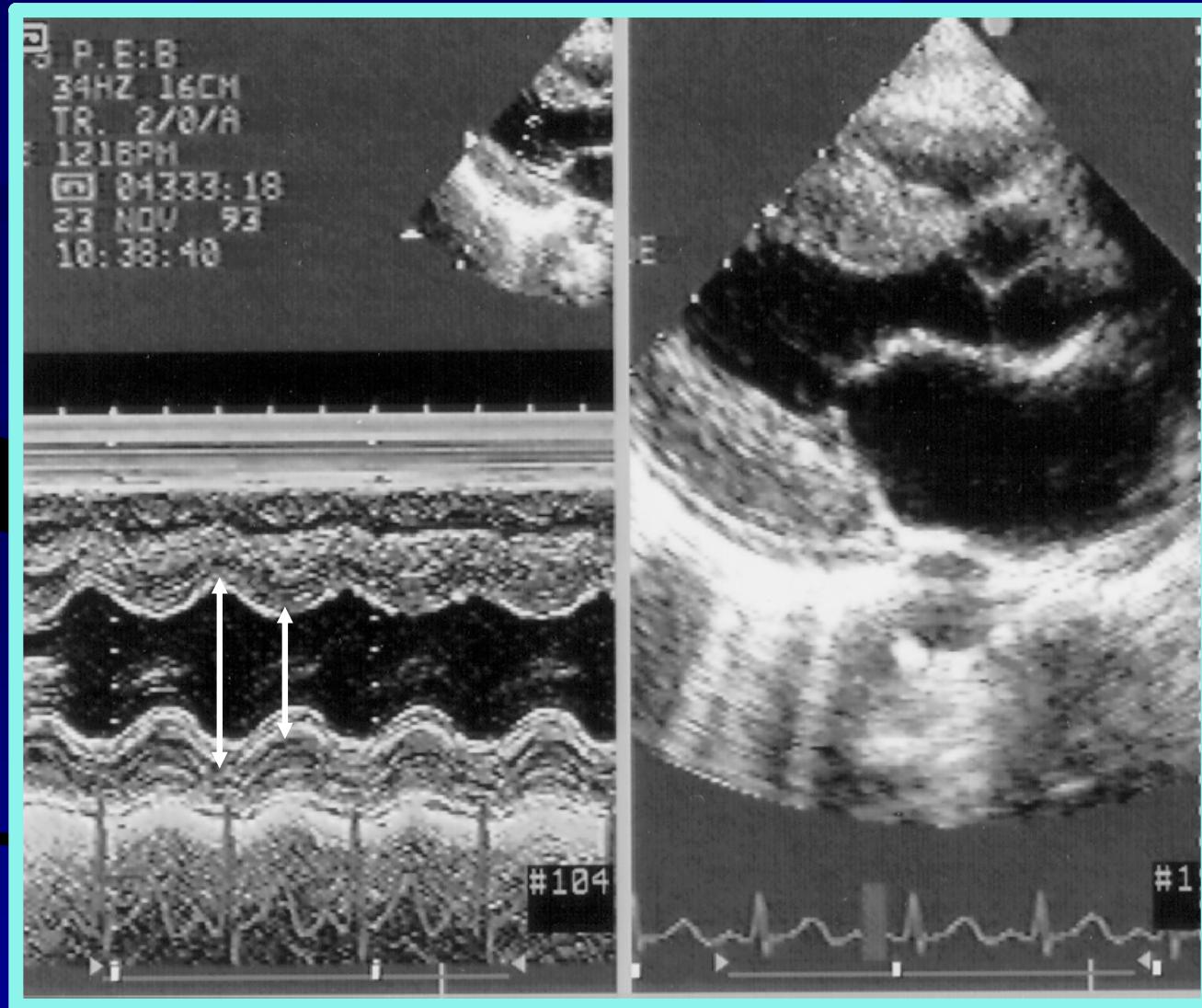
Systolic Function

Shortening Fraction of LV Area

Ejection Fraction

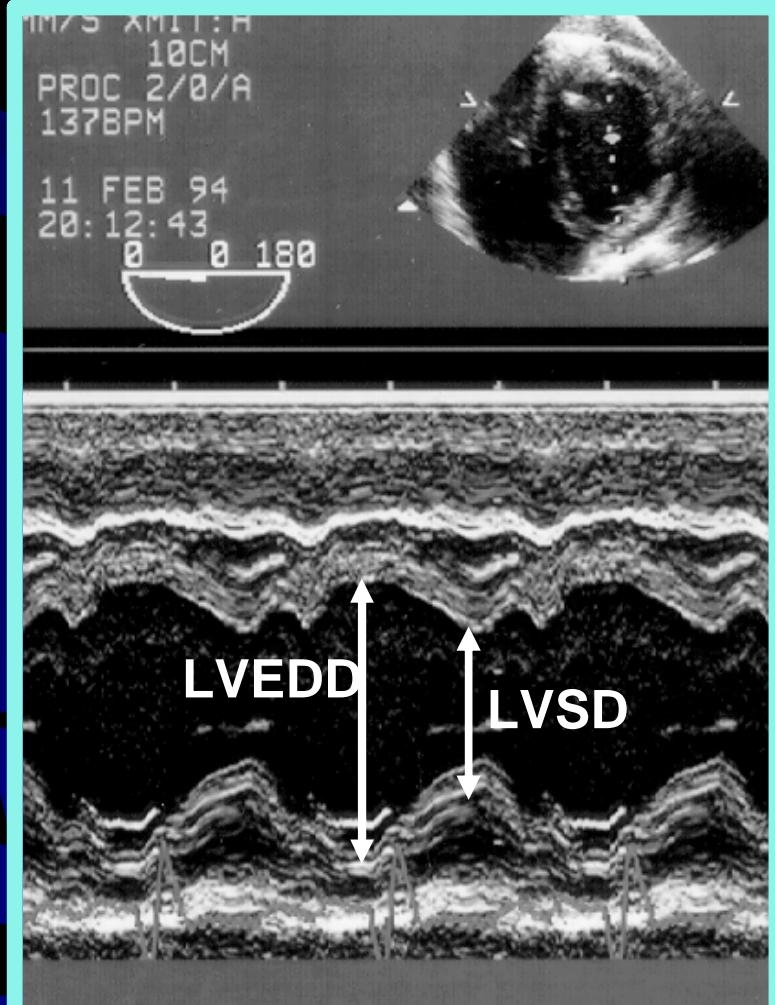


# Shortening Fraction



Nle: 25 - 36 %

# Velocity of circumferential fiber shortening

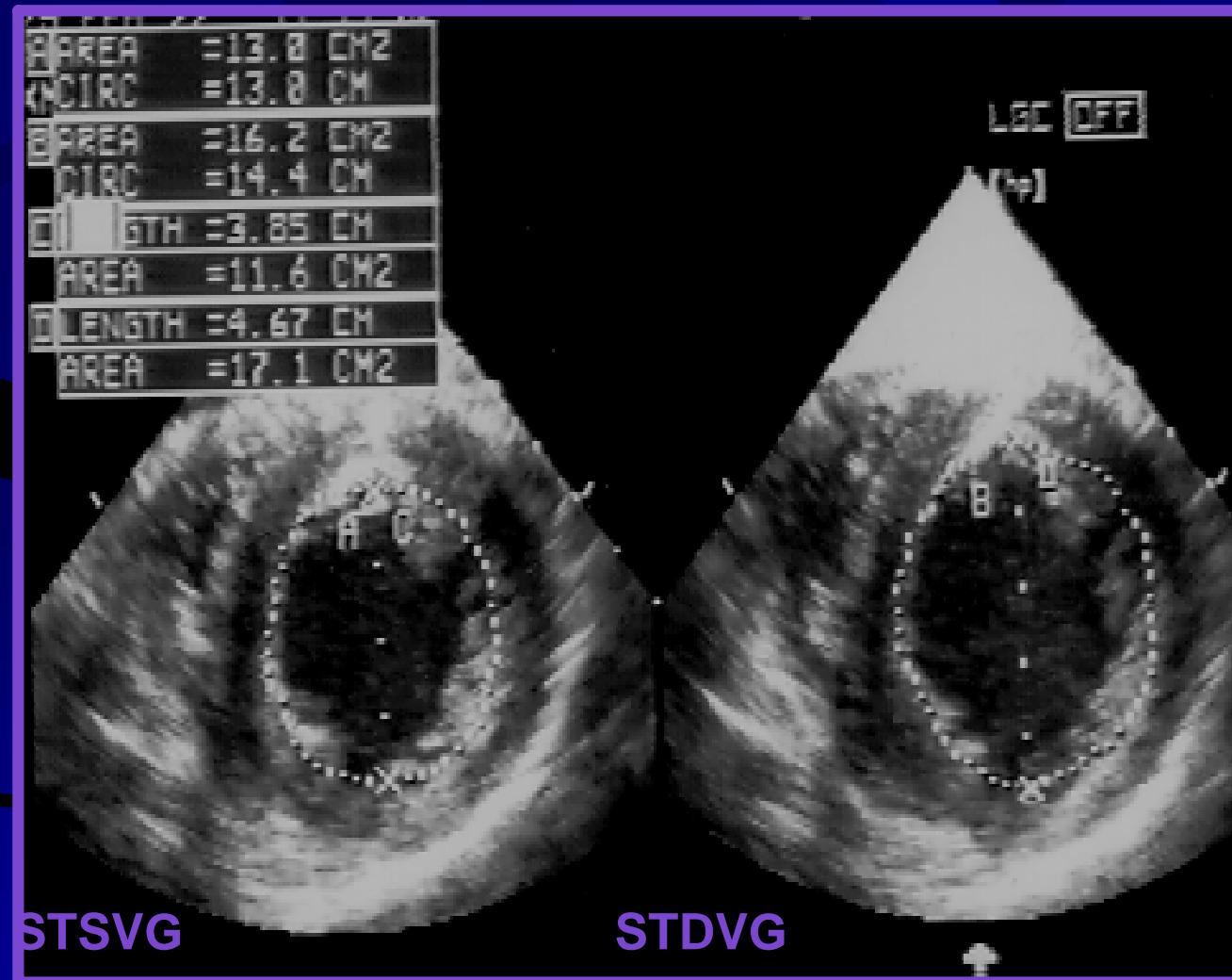


$$V_{cf} = SF / ET$$

$$V_{cf-c} = V_{cf} / \bar{V_{RR}}$$

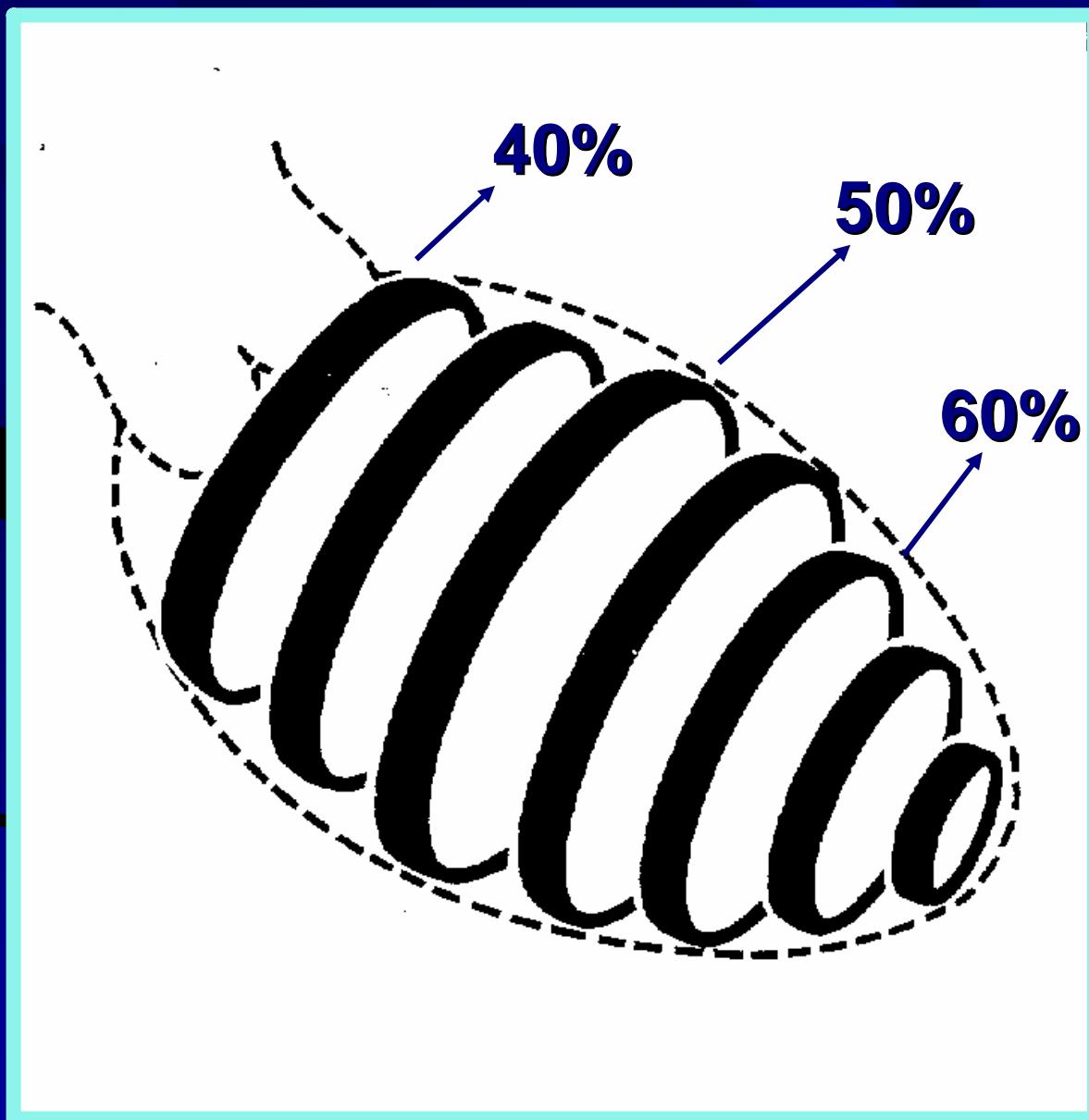
$$SF = (LVEDD - LVSD) / LVEDD$$

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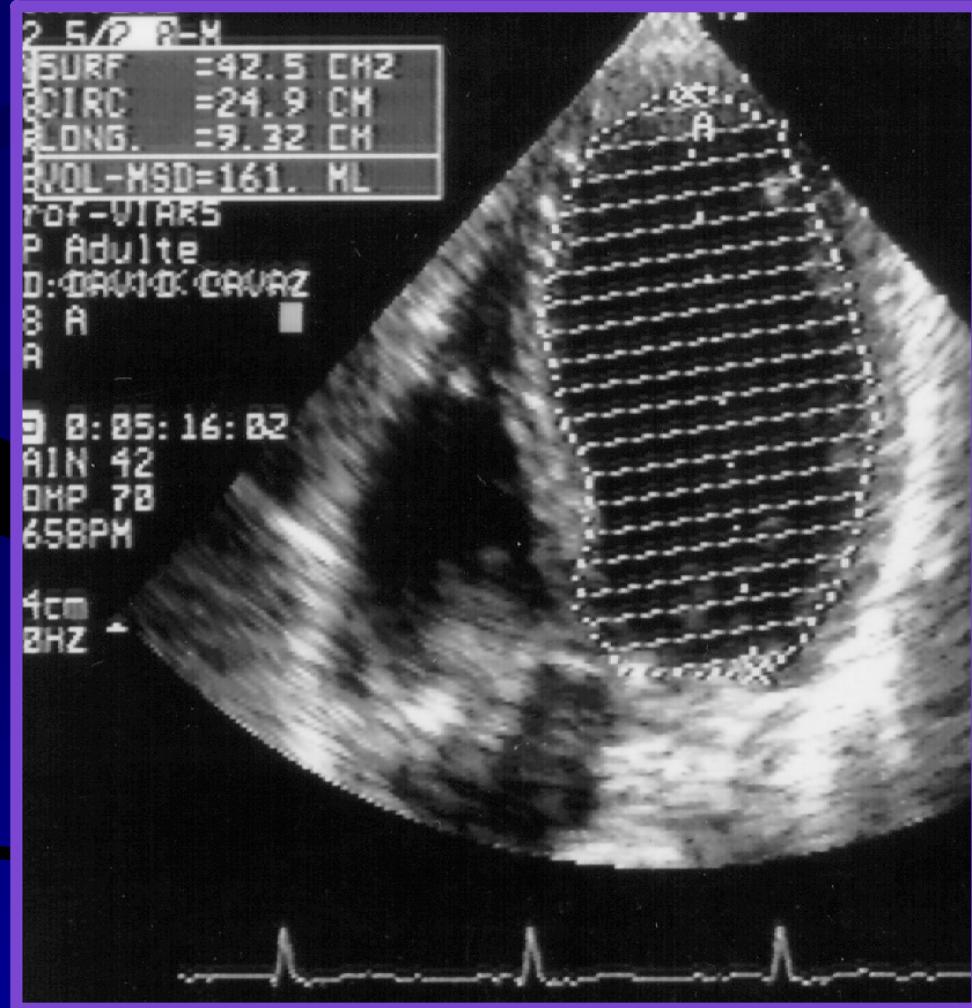


Nle: 38 - 64 %

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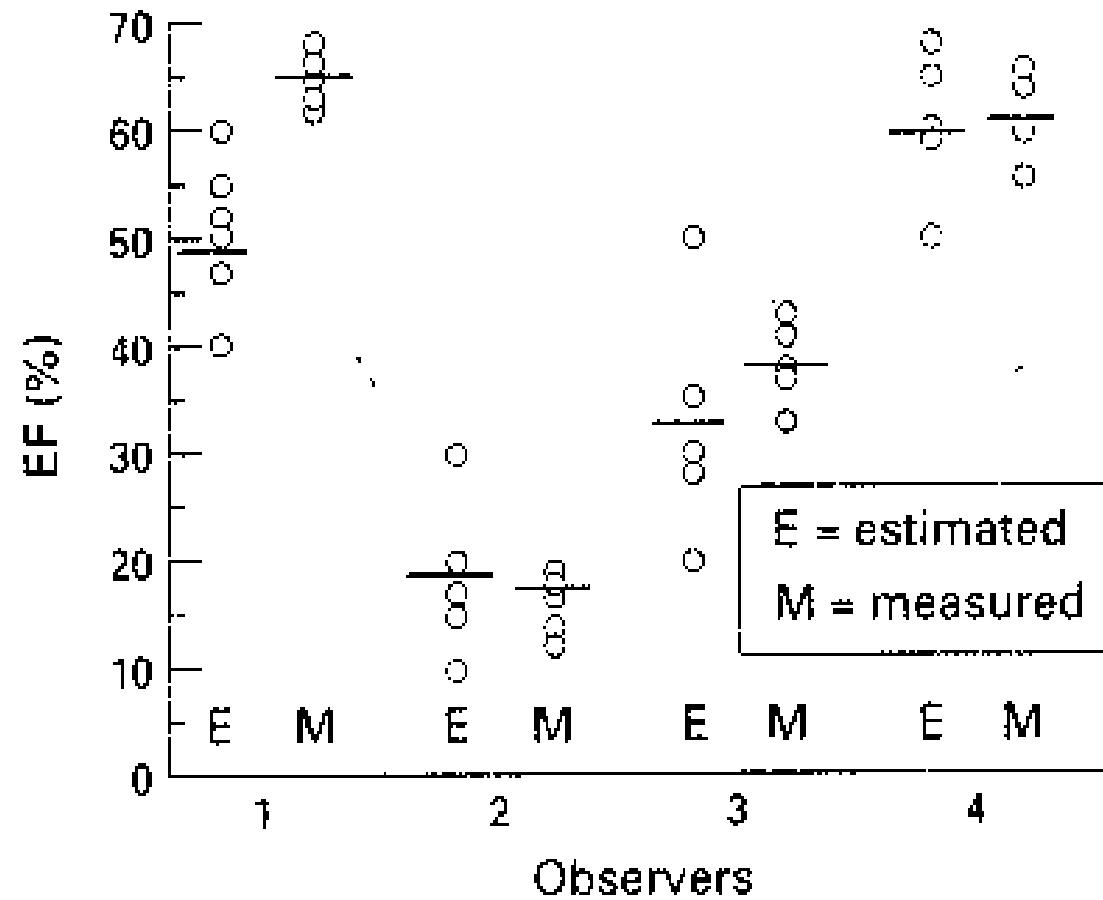


# Ejection Fraction



Nle: 55 - 75 %

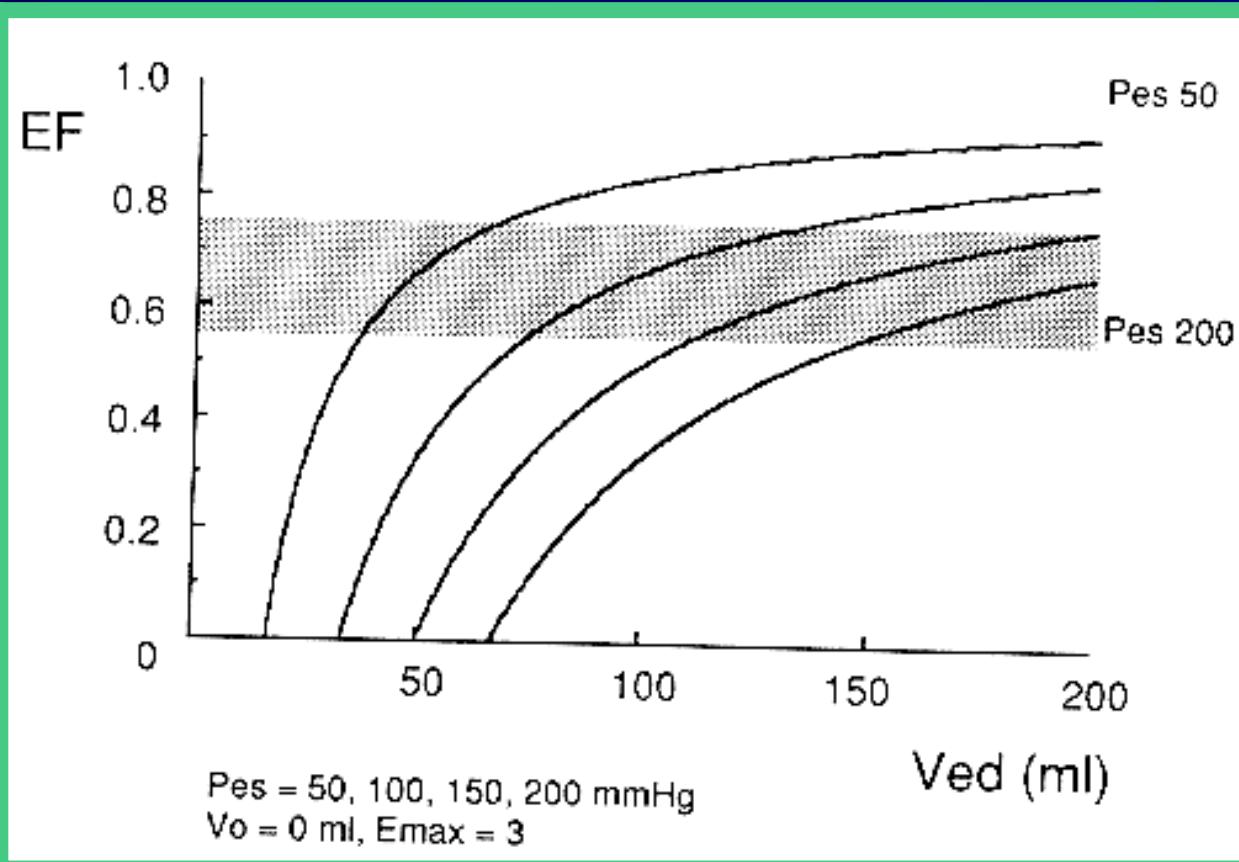
# Estimated and measured EF



NB Shiller, Heart, 1996;75:17-26

# Relationship between contractility (Emax), ejection fraction (EF), systolic pressure (Pes) and end-diastolic volume (Ved)

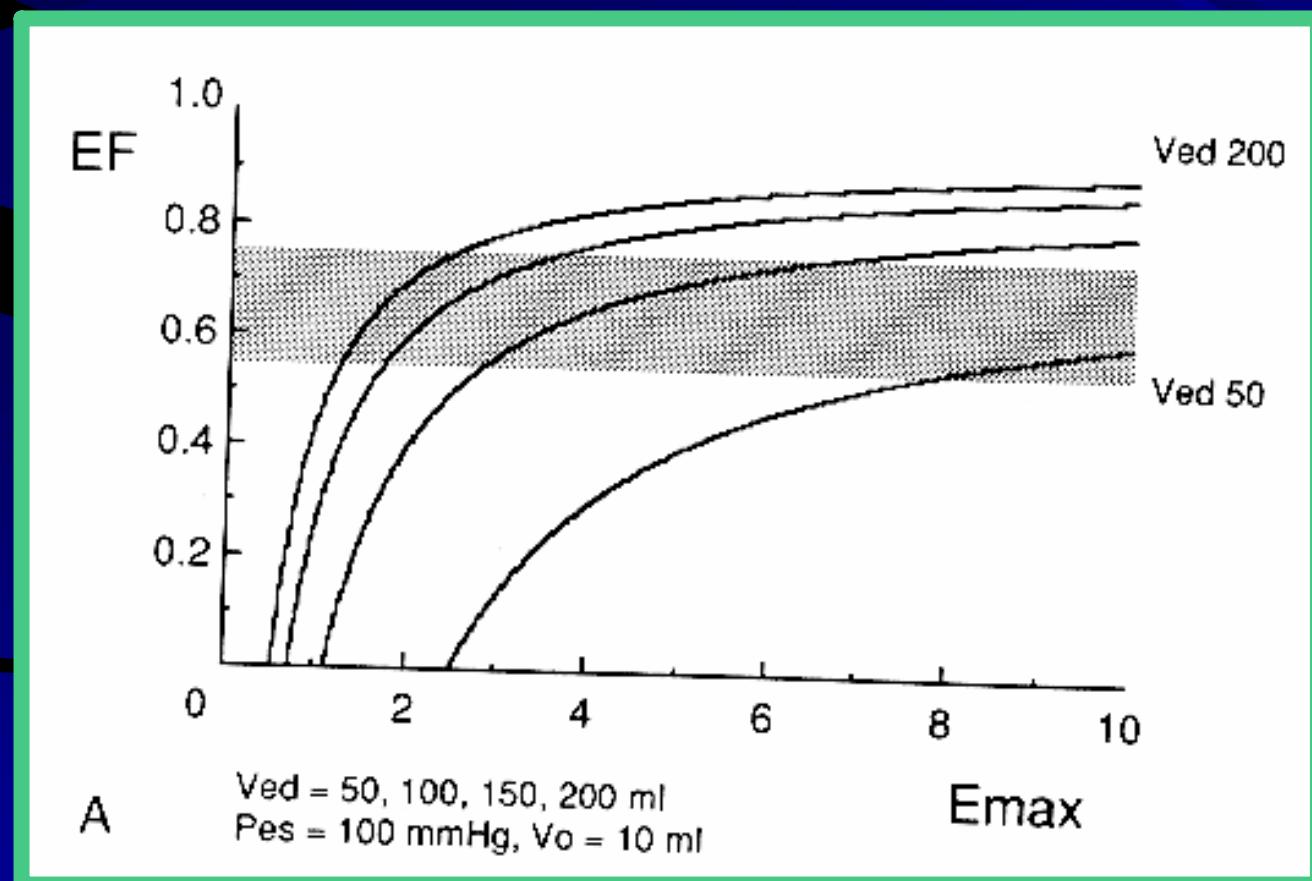
$$EF = 1 - (Pes / Ved) (1 / Emax)$$



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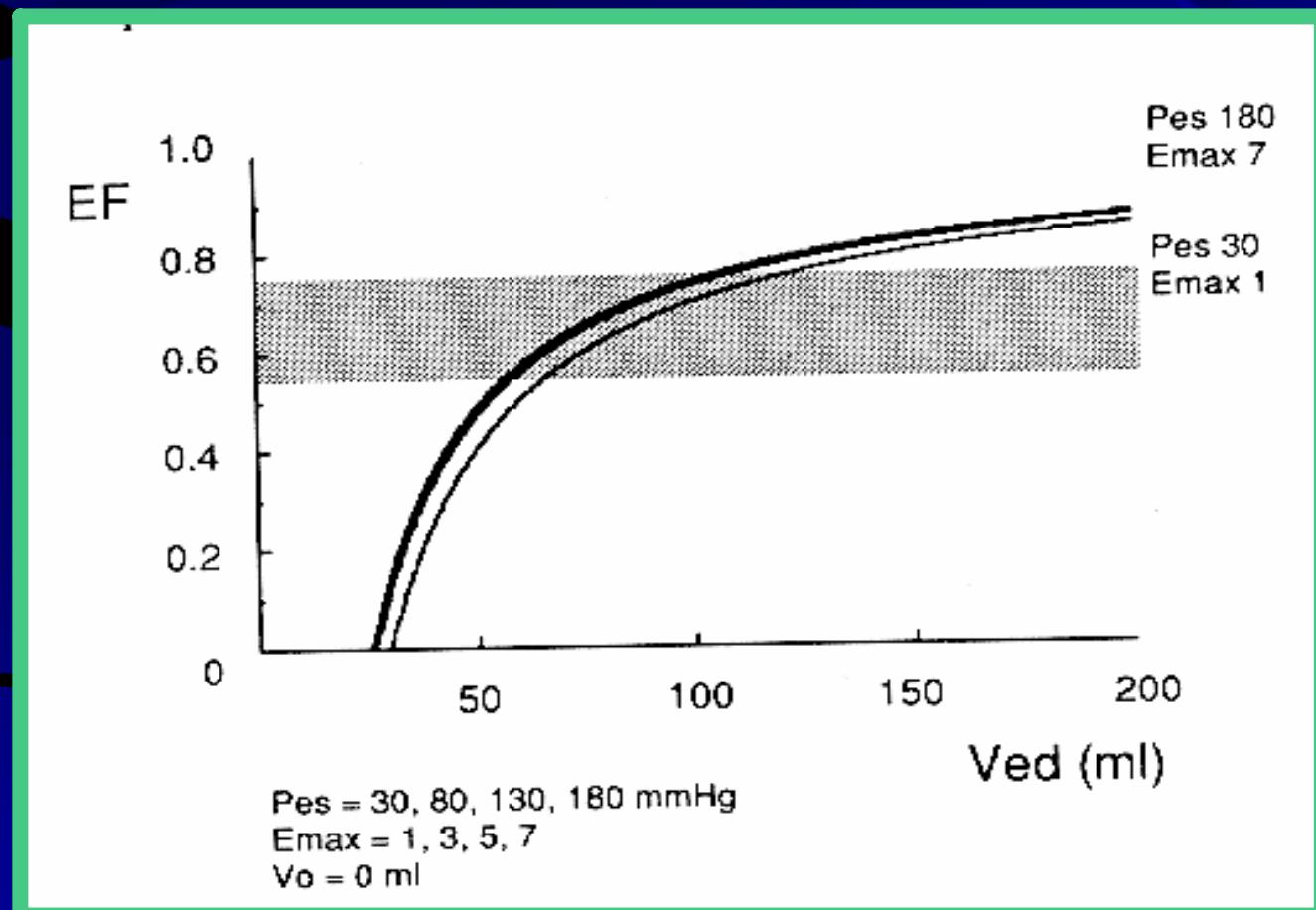
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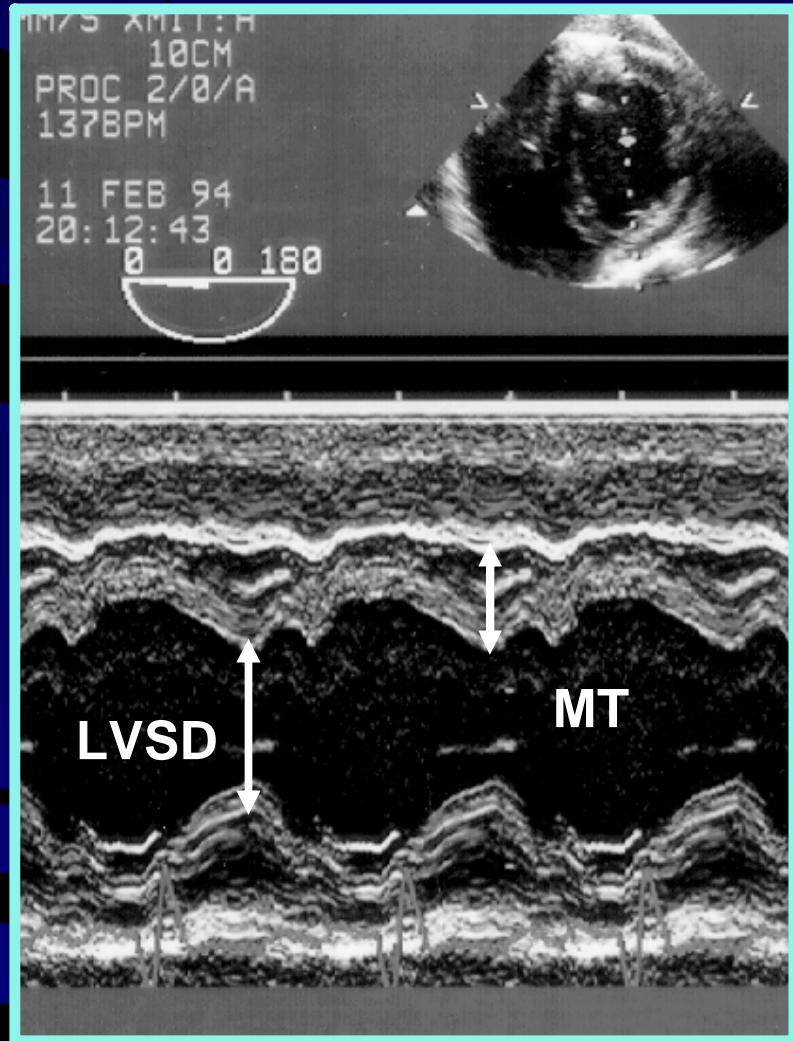
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# Systolic Stress



$0,334 \cdot SAP \cdot LVSD$

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$\overline{MT \cdot (1 + MT / LVSD)}$

**SAP = Systolic Arterial Pressure**

**LVSD = LV systolic diameter**

**MT = Myocardial thickening**

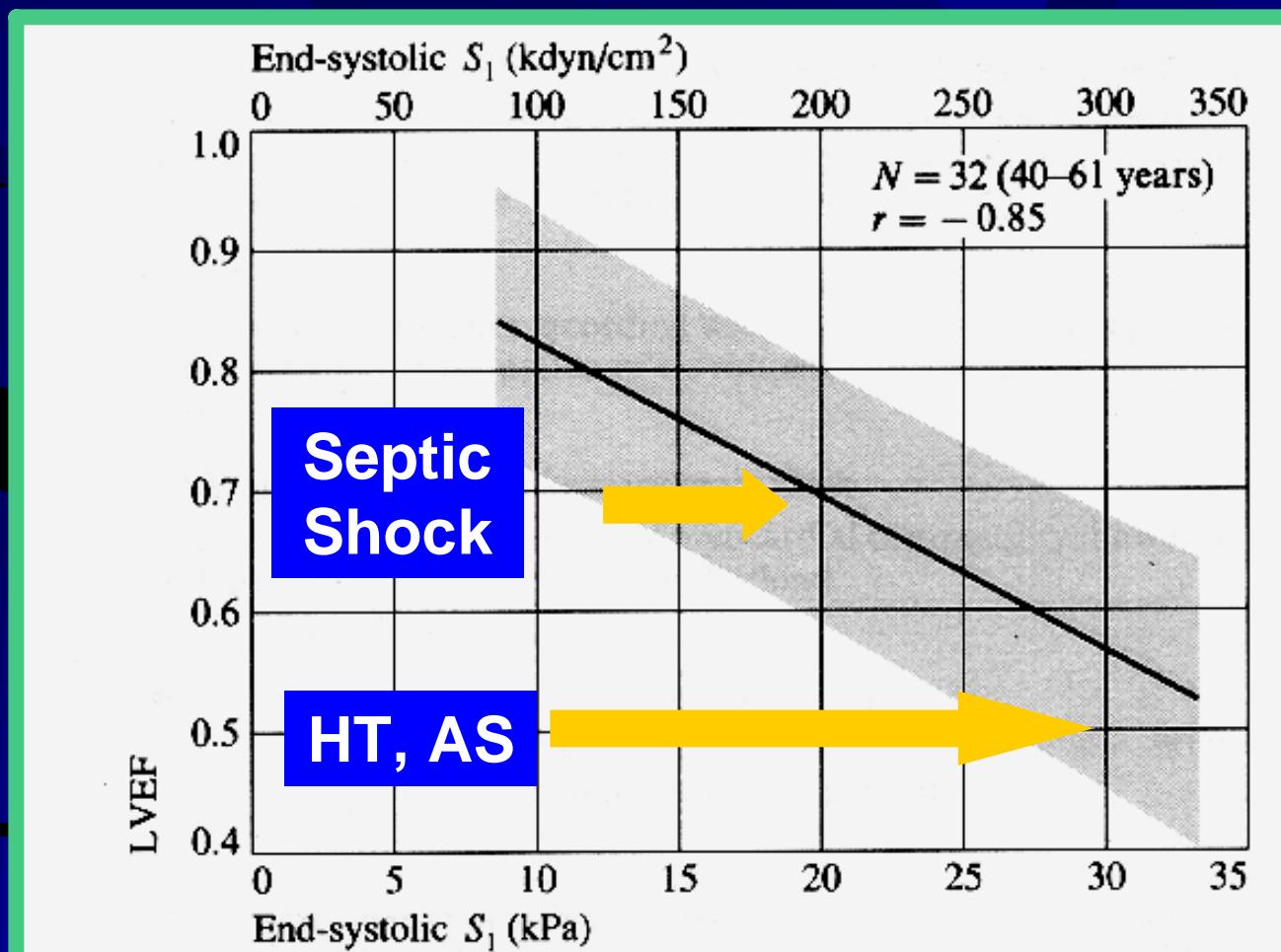
**O.334 = factor of correction from  
mmHg to g/cm<sup>2</sup>**

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**Nles :  $73 \pm 21$  Kdynes / cm<sup>2</sup>**

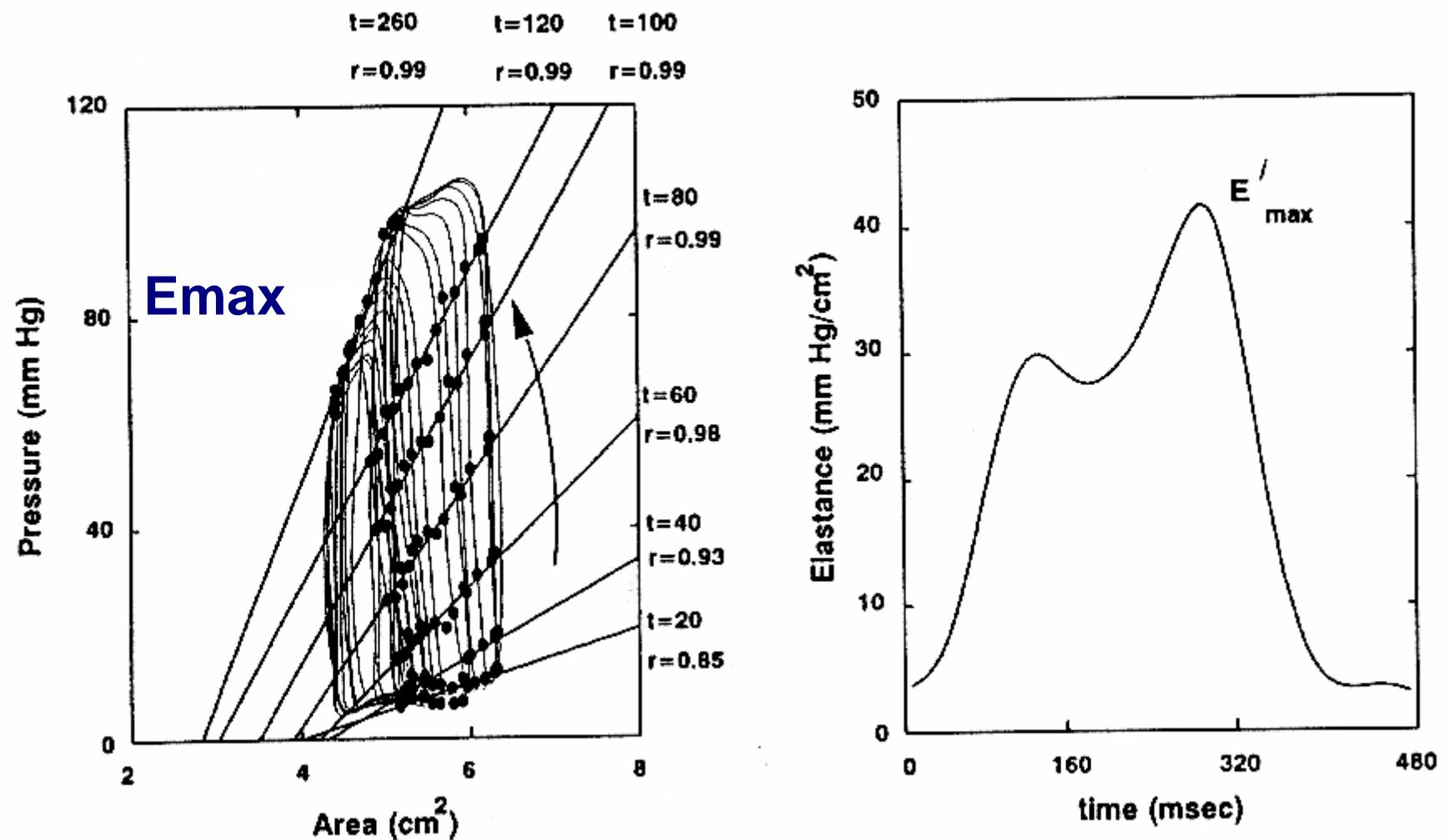
*Reischek N, Circulation, 1982;65:99-116*

# EF-Systolic stress relationship

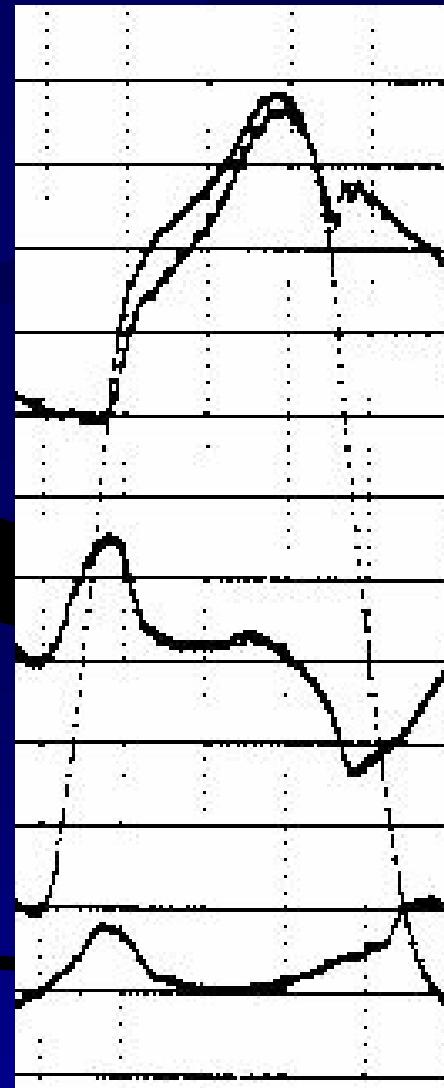


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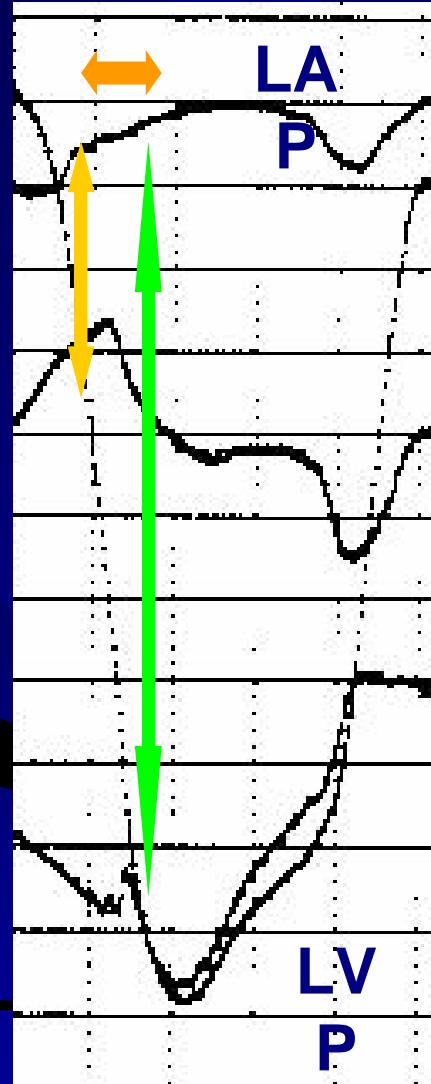
# $E_{max}$ = Maximal Elastance



Gorscan III J, Anesthesiology, 1994;81:553-62



$dp/dt$



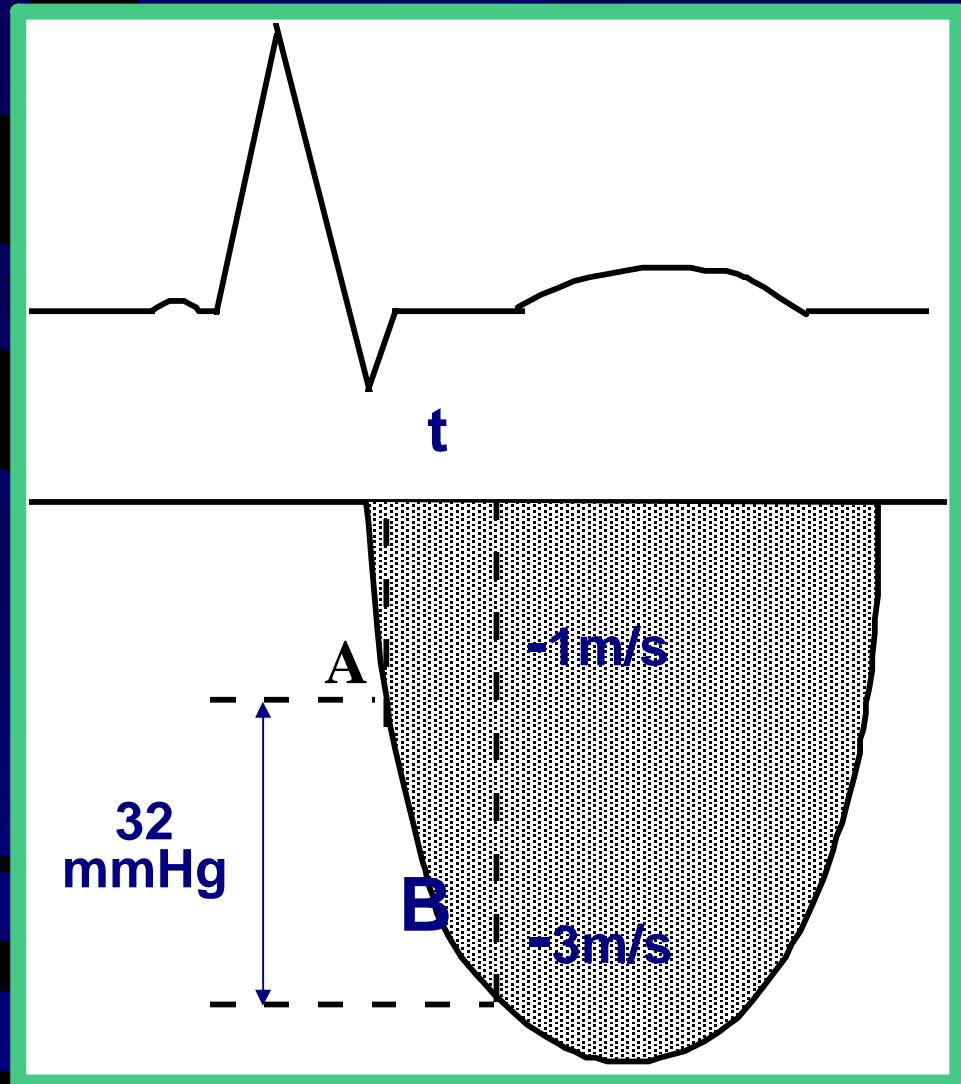
$$dP = 4 \text{ V}^2$$

**Max  $dp/dt$**

$dp/dt$

M  
R

# Rate of pressure rise (RPR)



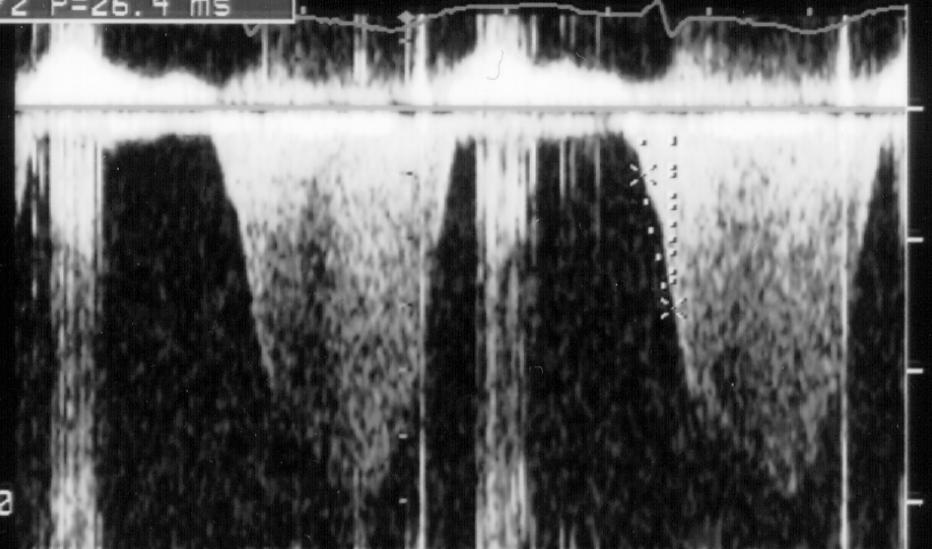
*Mathematical basis:*  
*Bernoulli equation*

$$dP = 4V_A^2 - 4V_B^2$$

$$\text{RPR} = \frac{32 \text{ mmHg}}{t \text{ (sec)}}$$

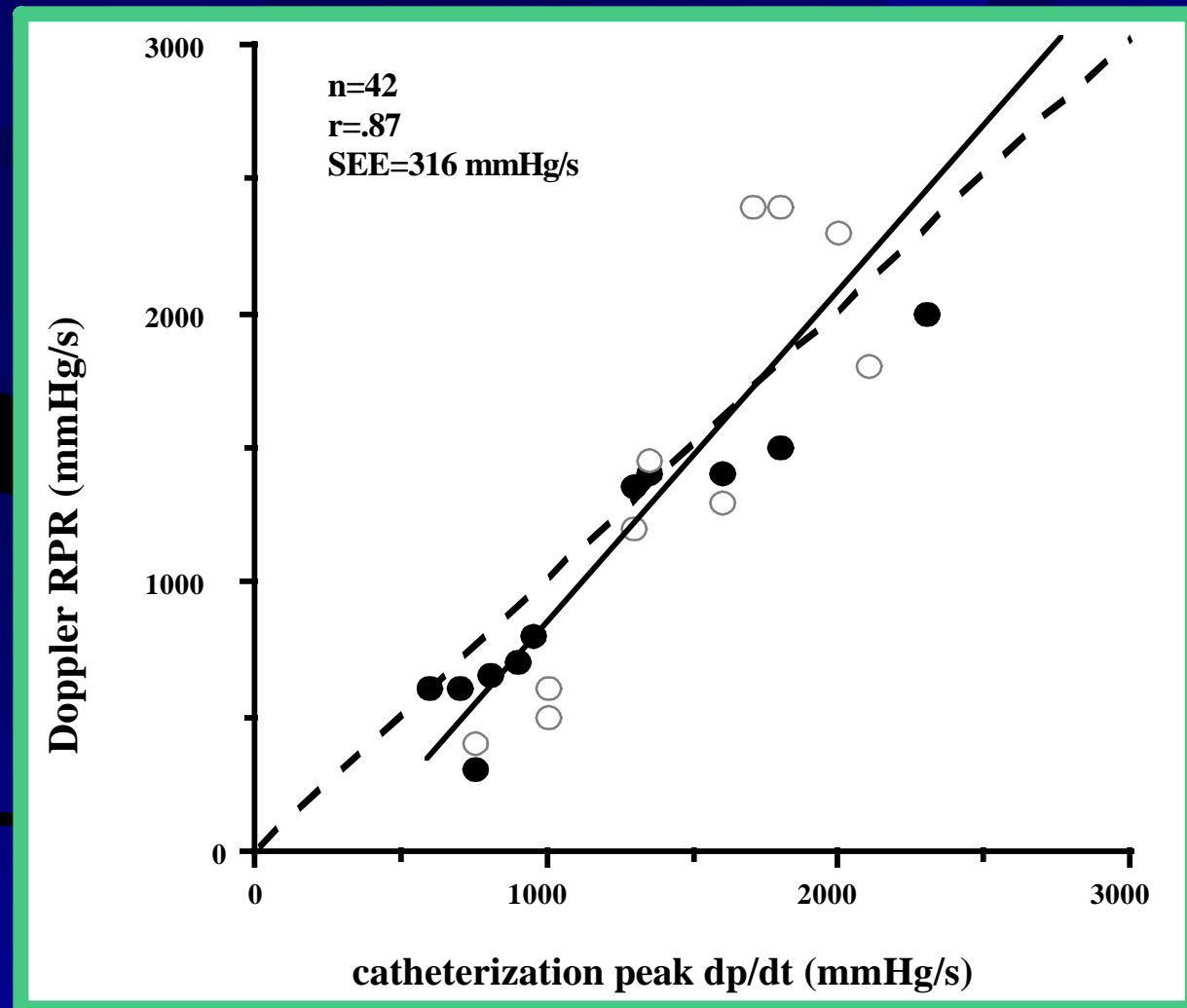
RPTLE-SPL DPT PTEP  
A X VEL. = 102. cm/s  
HP GrPress=4.16 mmHg M  
B + VEL. = 305. cm/s 26:27  
ABDE GrPress=37.2 mmHg C 99  
C X V. MAX = 305. cm/s : 32  
DUREE = .060 s  
PENTE = 3386 cm/s<sup>2</sup>  
GRD MAX=37.2 mmHg  
T 1/2 P=26.4 ms

RPR = 533mmHg/s



# Estimation of LV dP/dt with CW Doppler

## Validation at cardiac catheterization



Bargiggia, Circulation, 1989

# Peak power

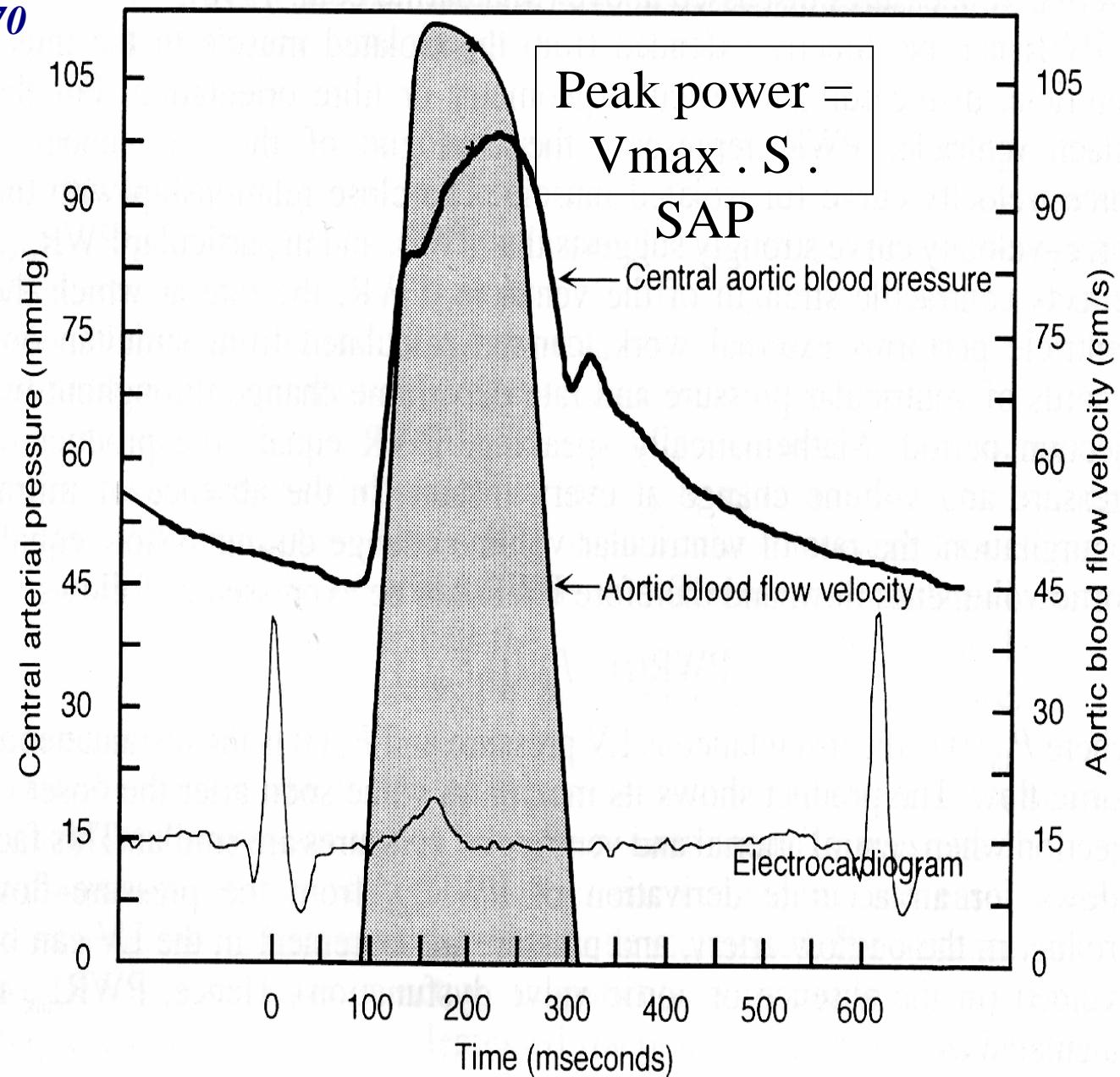
Power = Flow .  
Pressure

(Watts)      (ml / s)      (mmHg)

*Mandarino WA, J Am Coll Cardiol, 1998;31:861-8*  
*Armstrong GP, Heart, 1999,;82:357-64*

Schmidt C, Anesthesio, 1999;91:58-

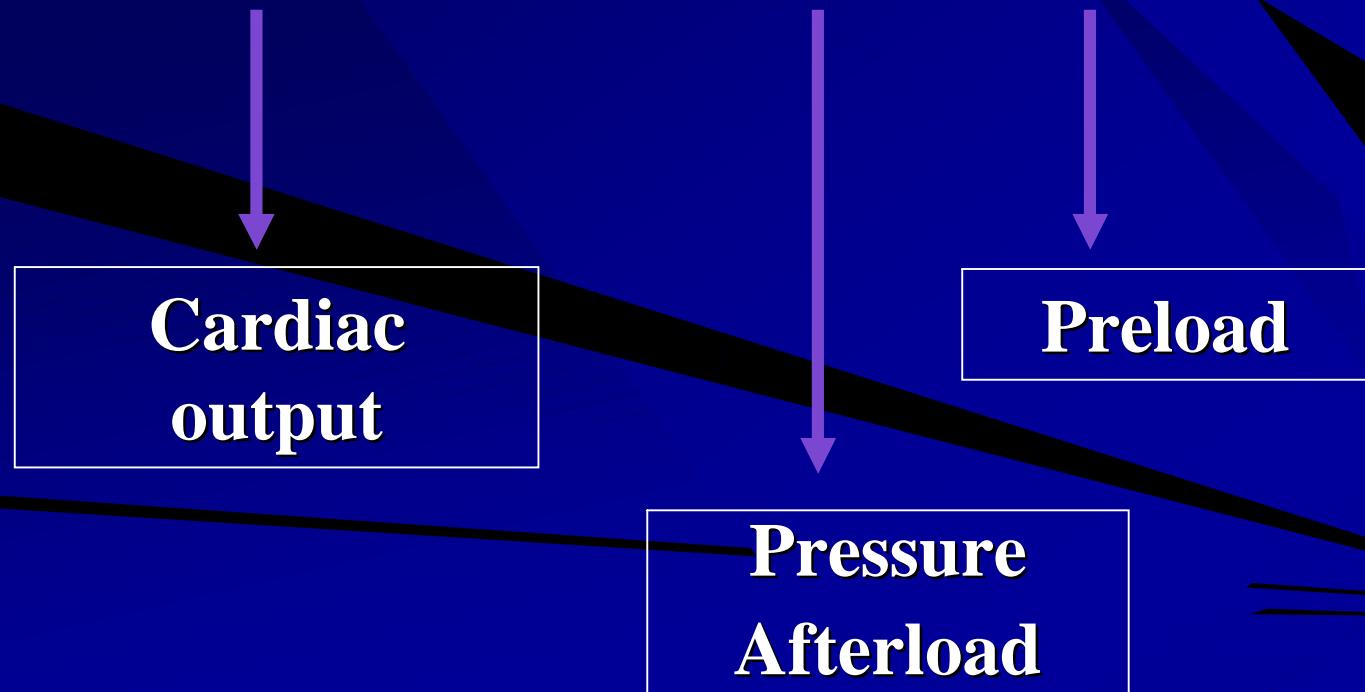
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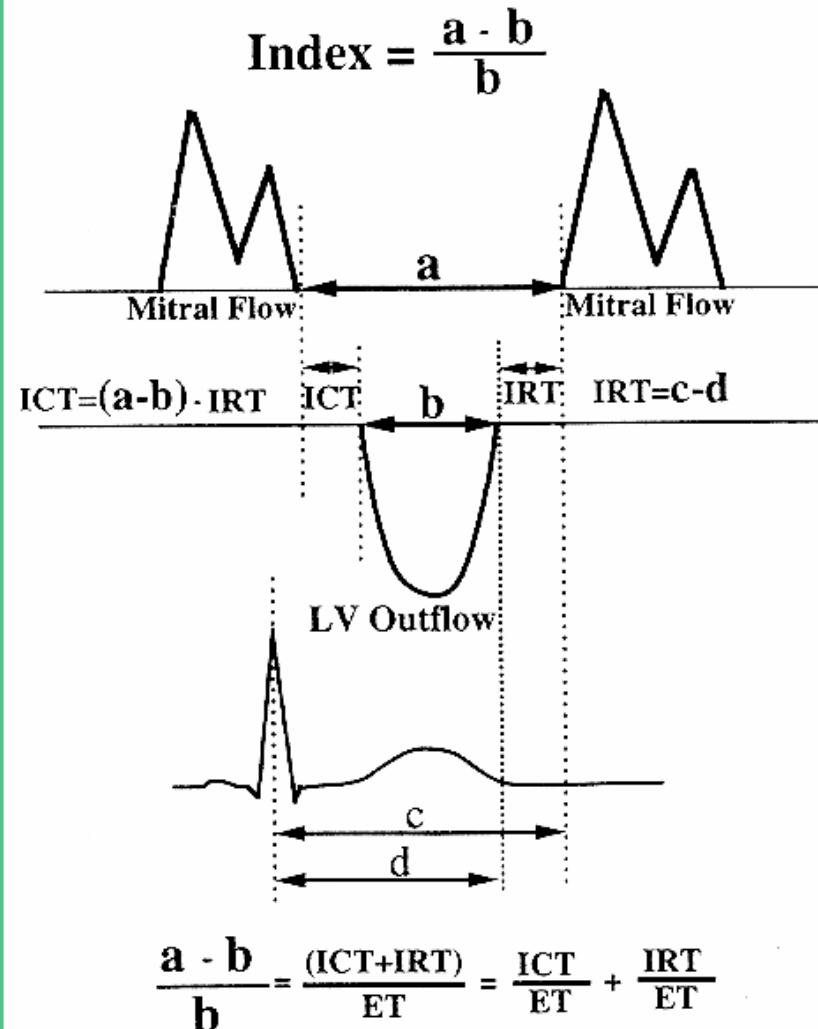
# Preload adjusted maximal power

Preload adjusted maximal power ( $\text{mW} / \text{cm}^4$ )

$$= (\text{instantaneous maximal flow} \cdot \text{SAP}) / \text{EDA}^2$$



# Intervalles isovolumétriques

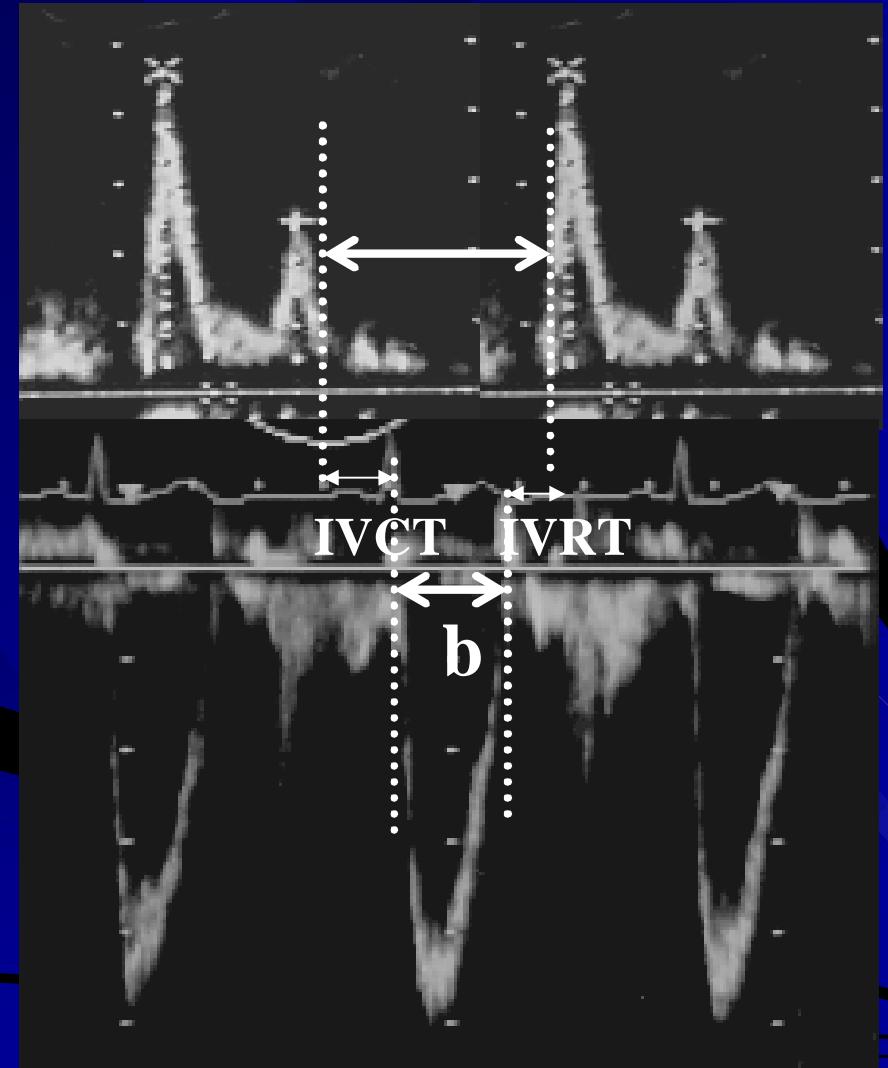


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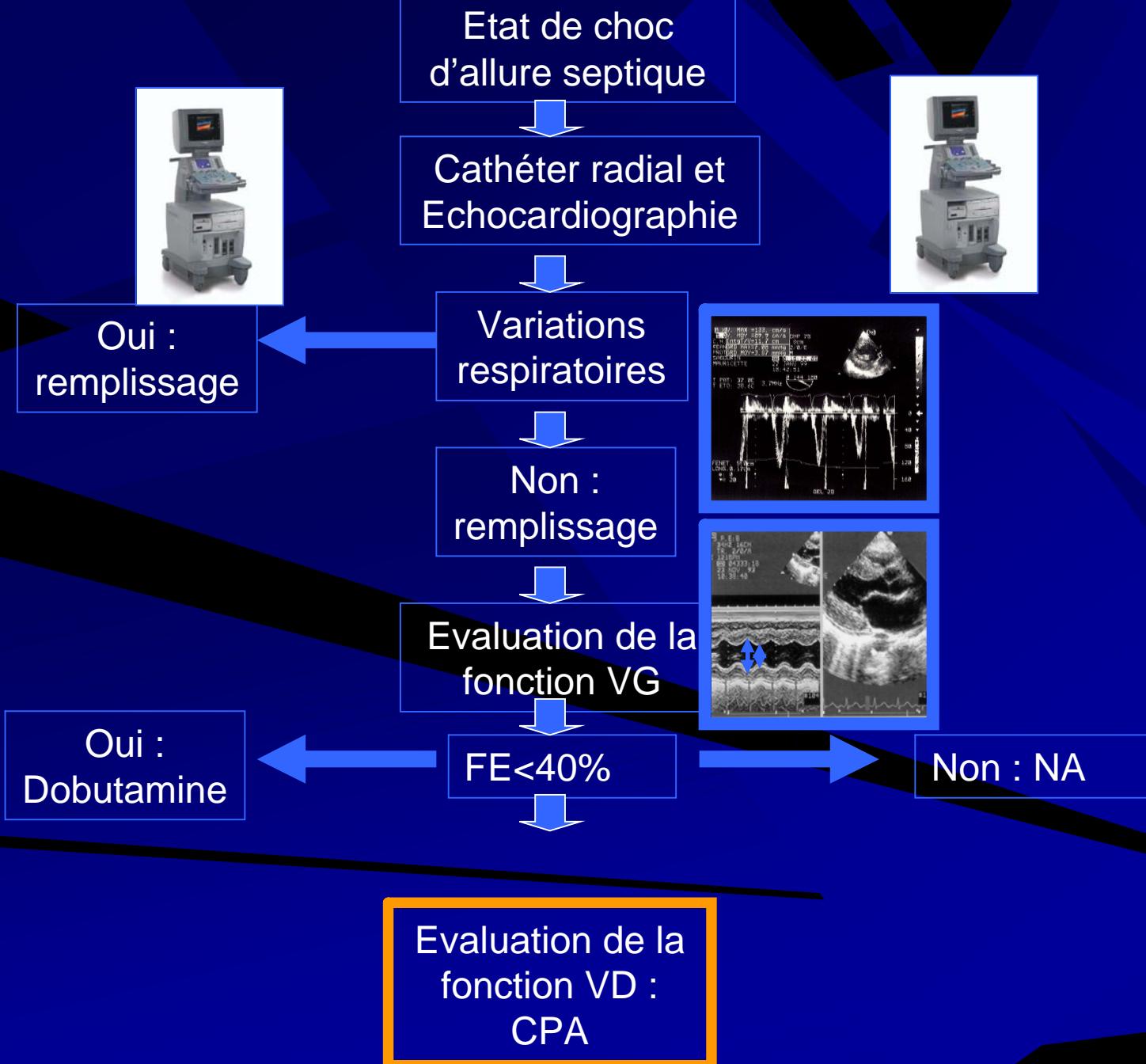
Isovolumic contraction time  
(IVCT)

Isovolumic relaxation time  
(IVRT)

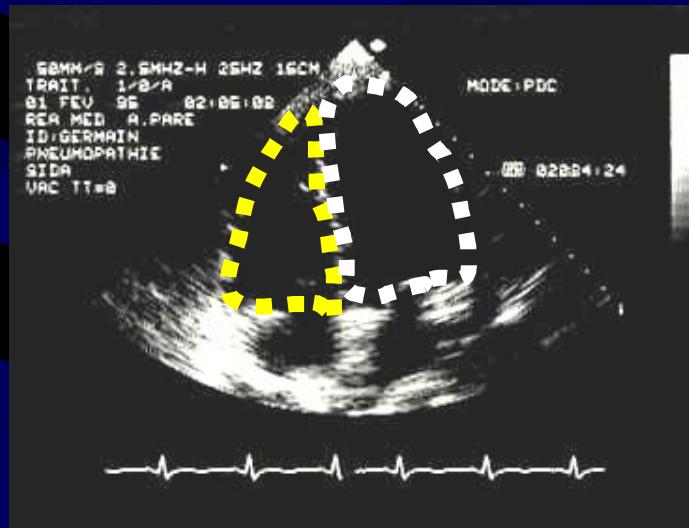
MI: (IVCT+ IVRT) / ET



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# DILATATION VD

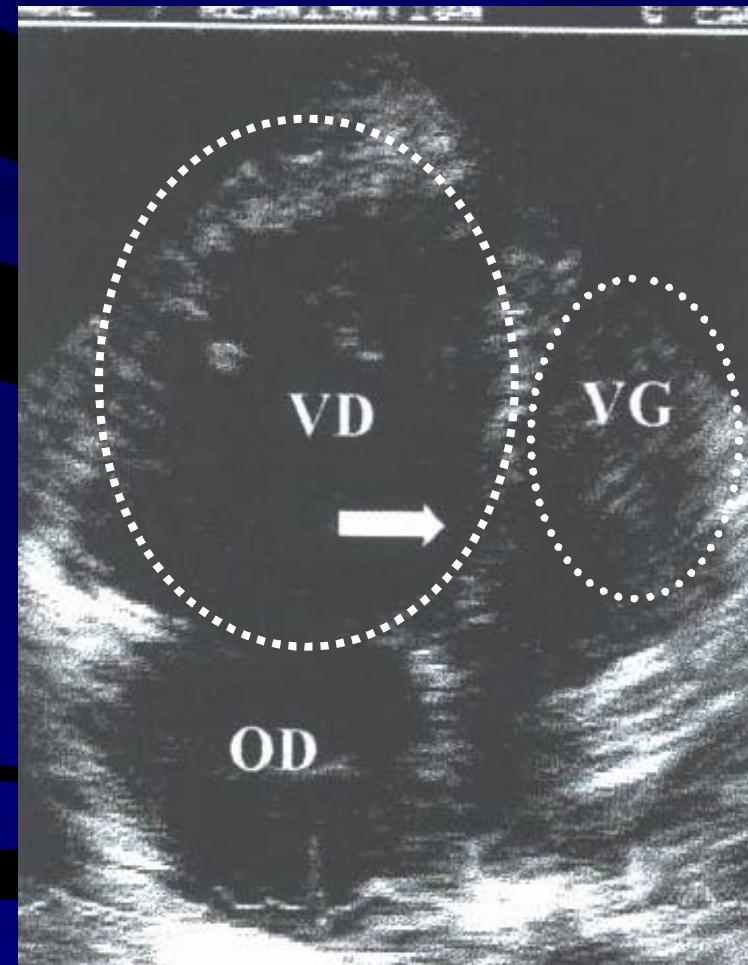


Pas de dilatation:  $\text{STDVD}/\text{STDVG} < 0.6$

Dilatation modérée:  $\text{STDVD}/\text{STDVG} \ 0.6 - 1$

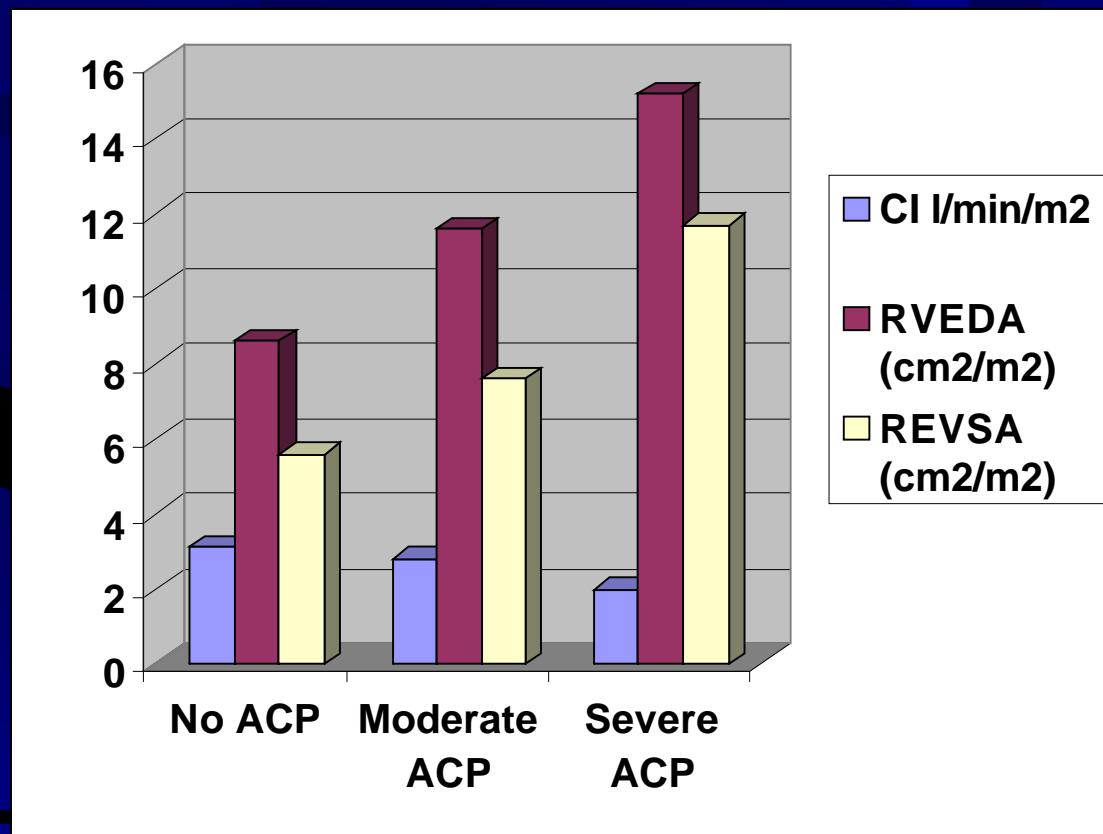
Dilatation majeure:  $\text{STDVD}/\text{STDVG} > 1$

# ARDS Cardiac Complication :



## Acute Cor Pulmonale

- Large RV
  - RVEDA/LVEDA:<0.6 = Normal
  - RVEDA/LVEDA: 0.6-1 = Moderate ACP
  - RVEDA/LVEDA:>1 = Severe ACP
- Small LV with impaired relaxation
- Septal dyskinesia
- PAPH



Vieillard-Baron A Am J Resp Crit Care Med 2002;166:1310-19

## Pression arterielle pulmonaire

38 mmHg

2 mmHg

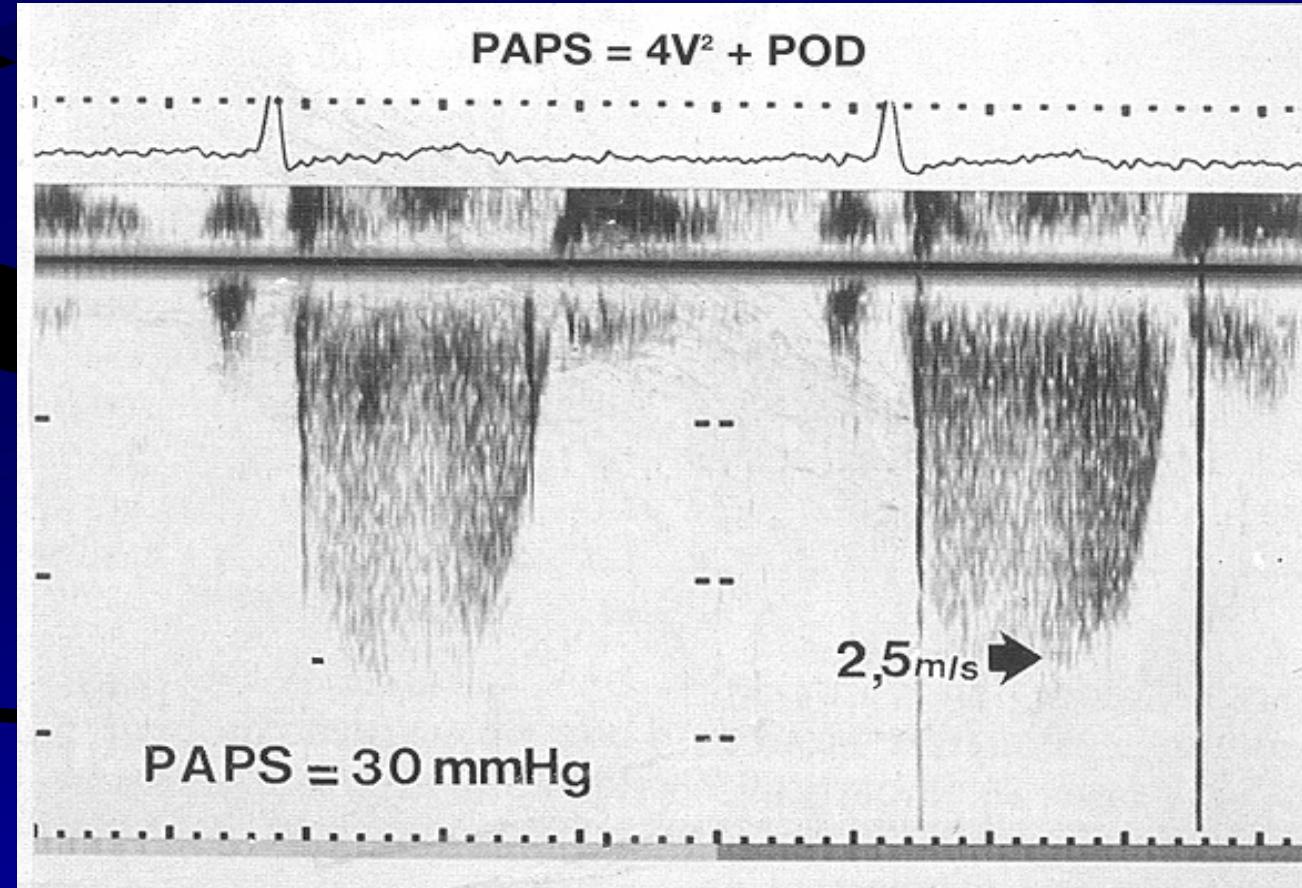
**Gradient = 36 mmHg**

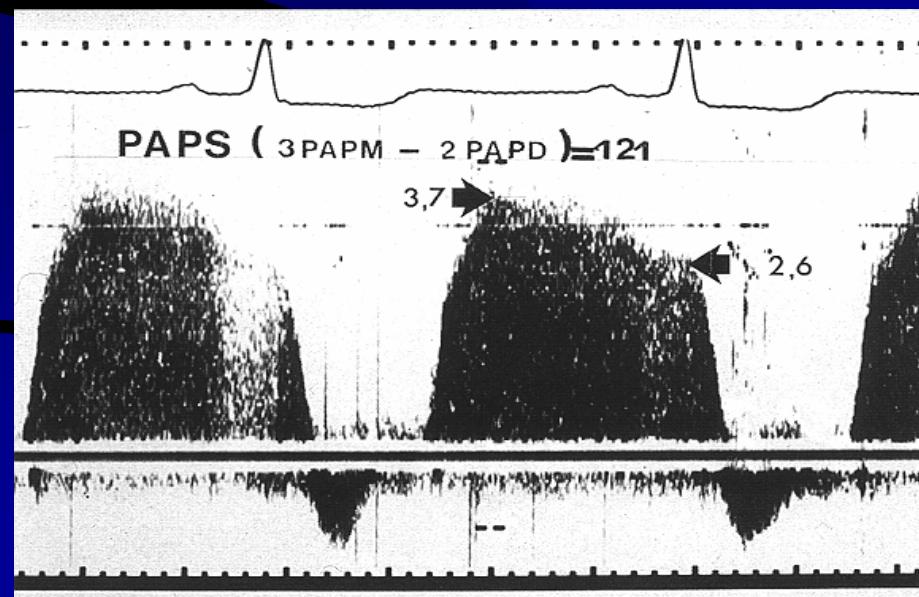
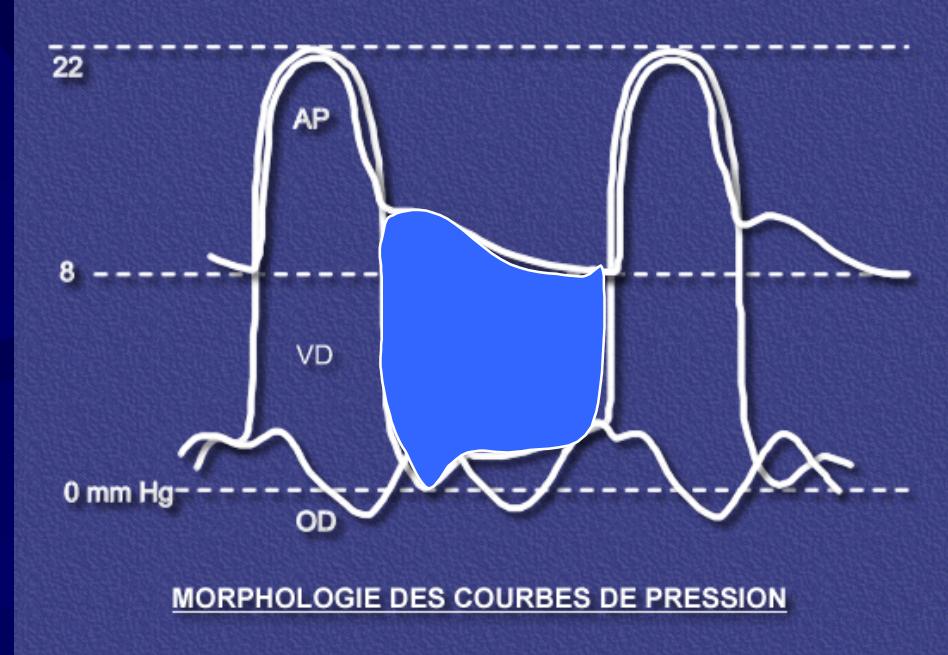
**$dP = 4 V^2$**

**Velocity= 3 m/s**

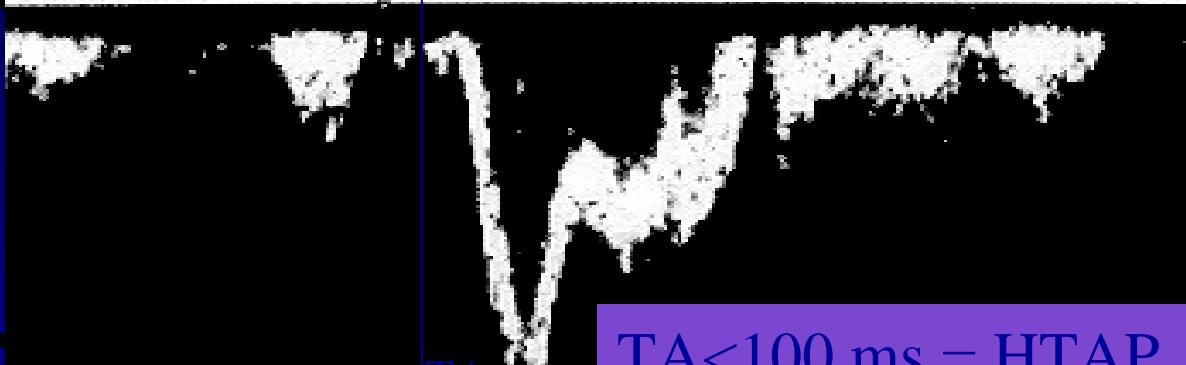
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# Tricuspid Regurgitation





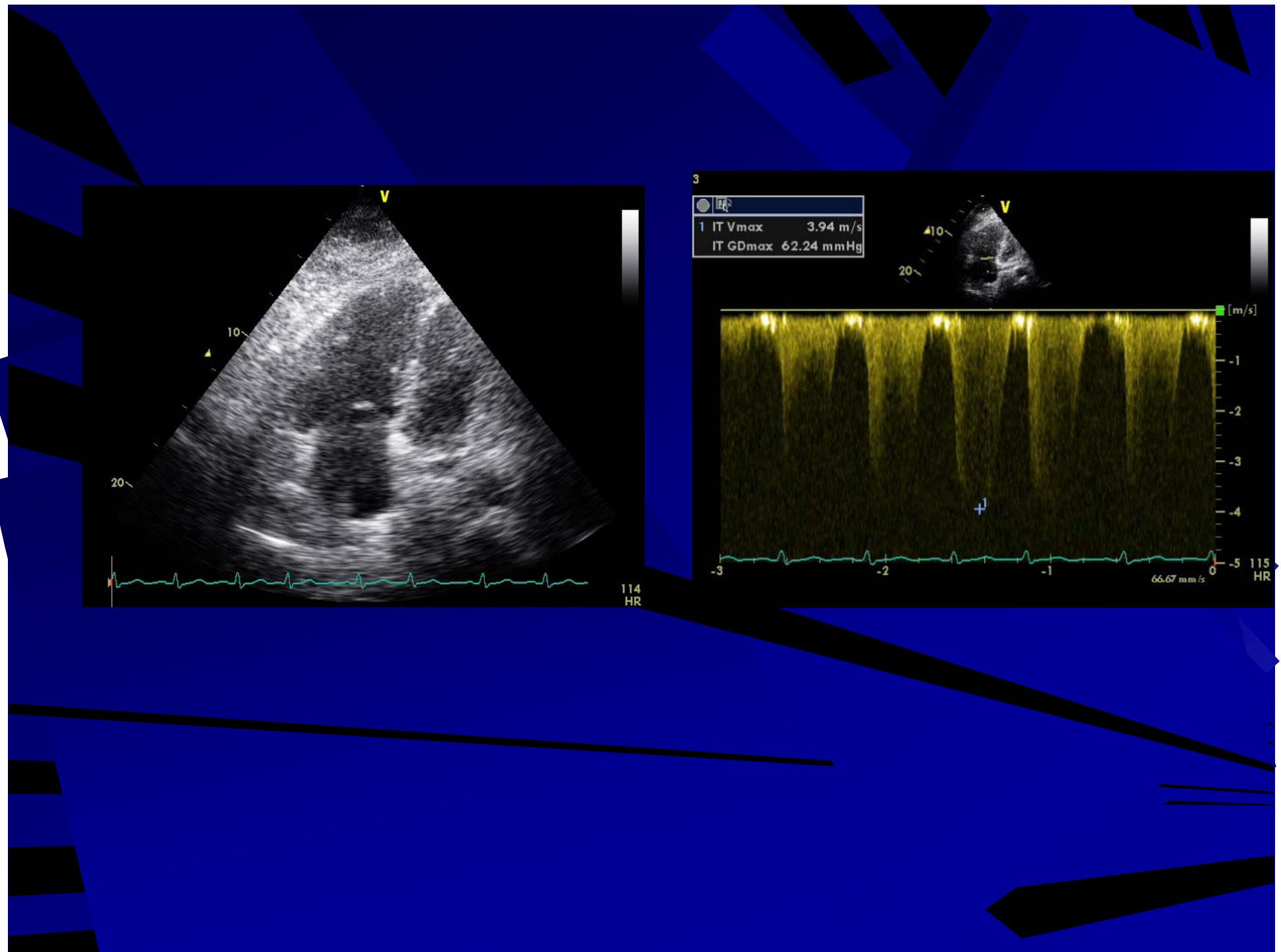
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TA  
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TA<100 ms = HTAP

CGR ULTRASONIC | 1.25S | 4KHZ



# Résultats dans le choc septique

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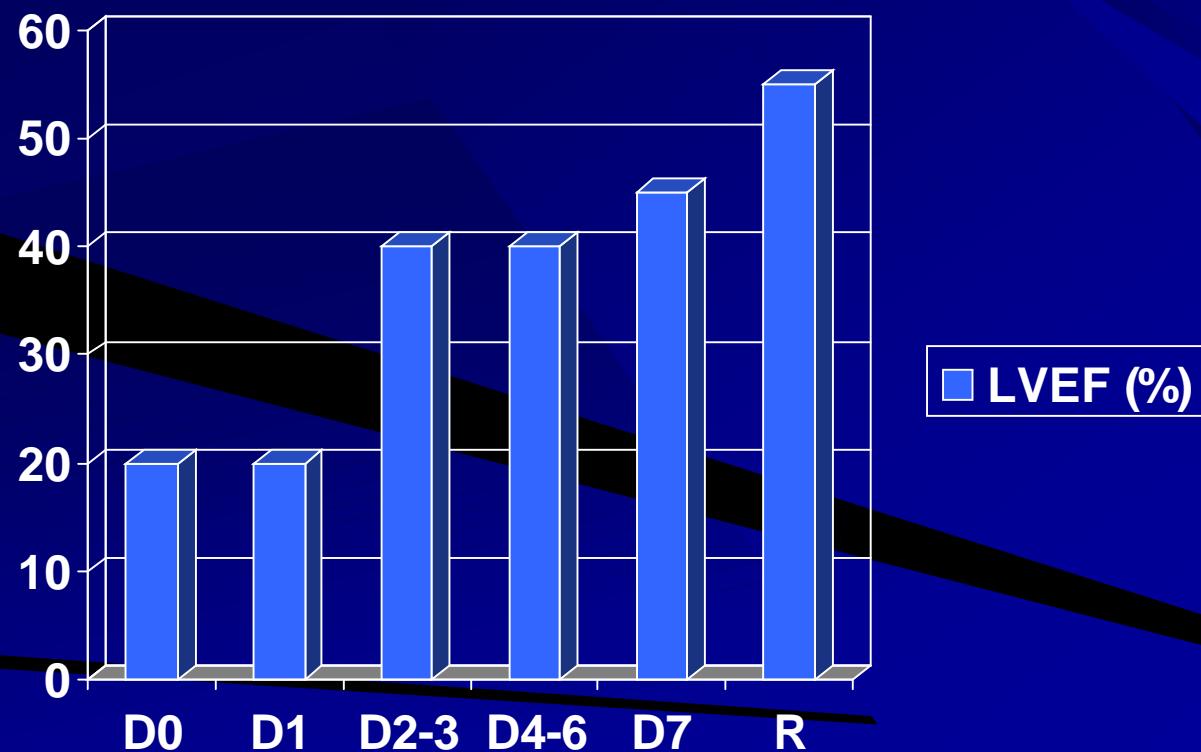
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# Findings in septic shock patients

- Hypovolemia
- Hyperkinetic and hypokinetic shock
  - LV systolic dysfunction (<35-45%) in 30% (Groeneveld Int Care Med 1988) to 55% (Parker Ann Intern Med 1984) of septic shock.
  - EF 38% in patients 35% (AVB)
  - Recovery with normalization of LV (Parillo NEJM 1993)
  - Absence of dilation of LV (no early preload adaptation in echocardiographic study)
  - Norepinephrine in some cases may unmask LV systolic dysfunction

# LV systolic dysfunction



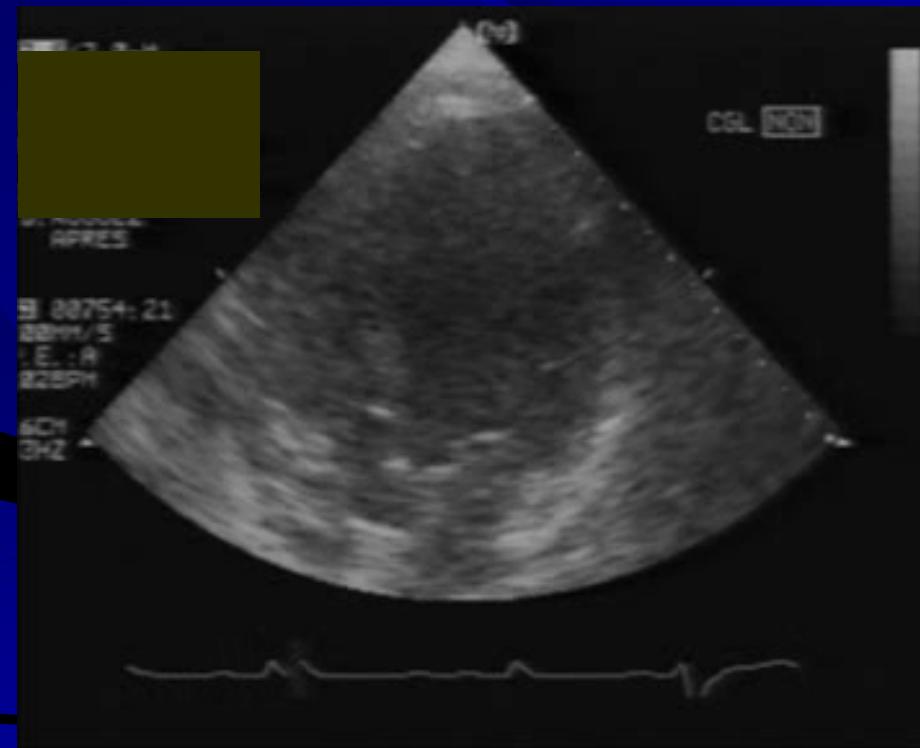
Vieillard-Baron AJRCCM 2003

# Findings in septic shock patients

## ■ Cardiac output

- High cardiac index ( $>3 \text{ l/min/m}^2$ ) 65% of cases with EF of 65%
- Low cardiac index ( $< 3 \text{ l/min/m}^2$ )
  - in 35% of patients (mean LVEF 38%)(Vieillard-Baron and Jardin)
  - Associated with hypokinetic condition
  - Dobutamine?

# Findings in septic shock patients

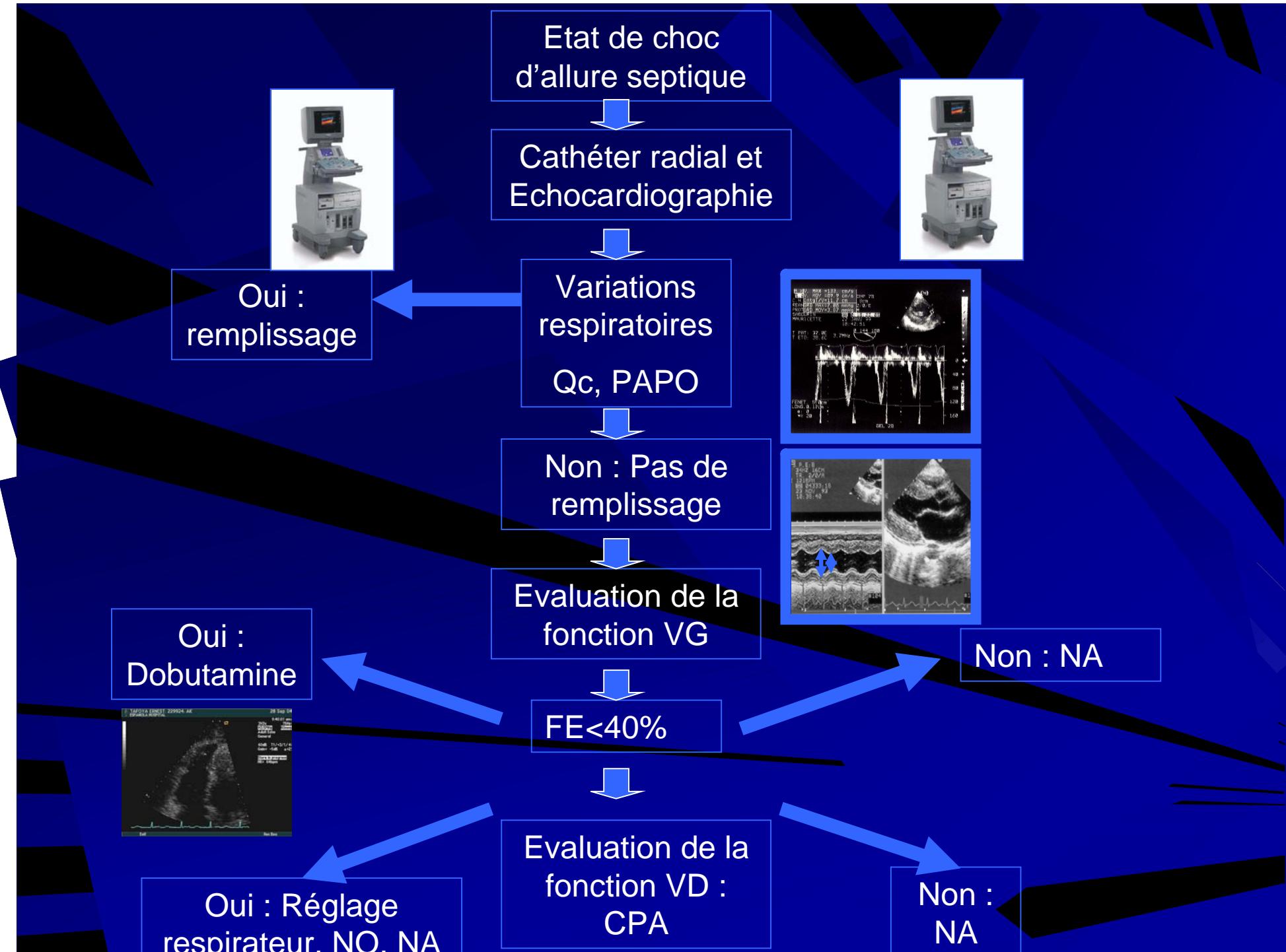


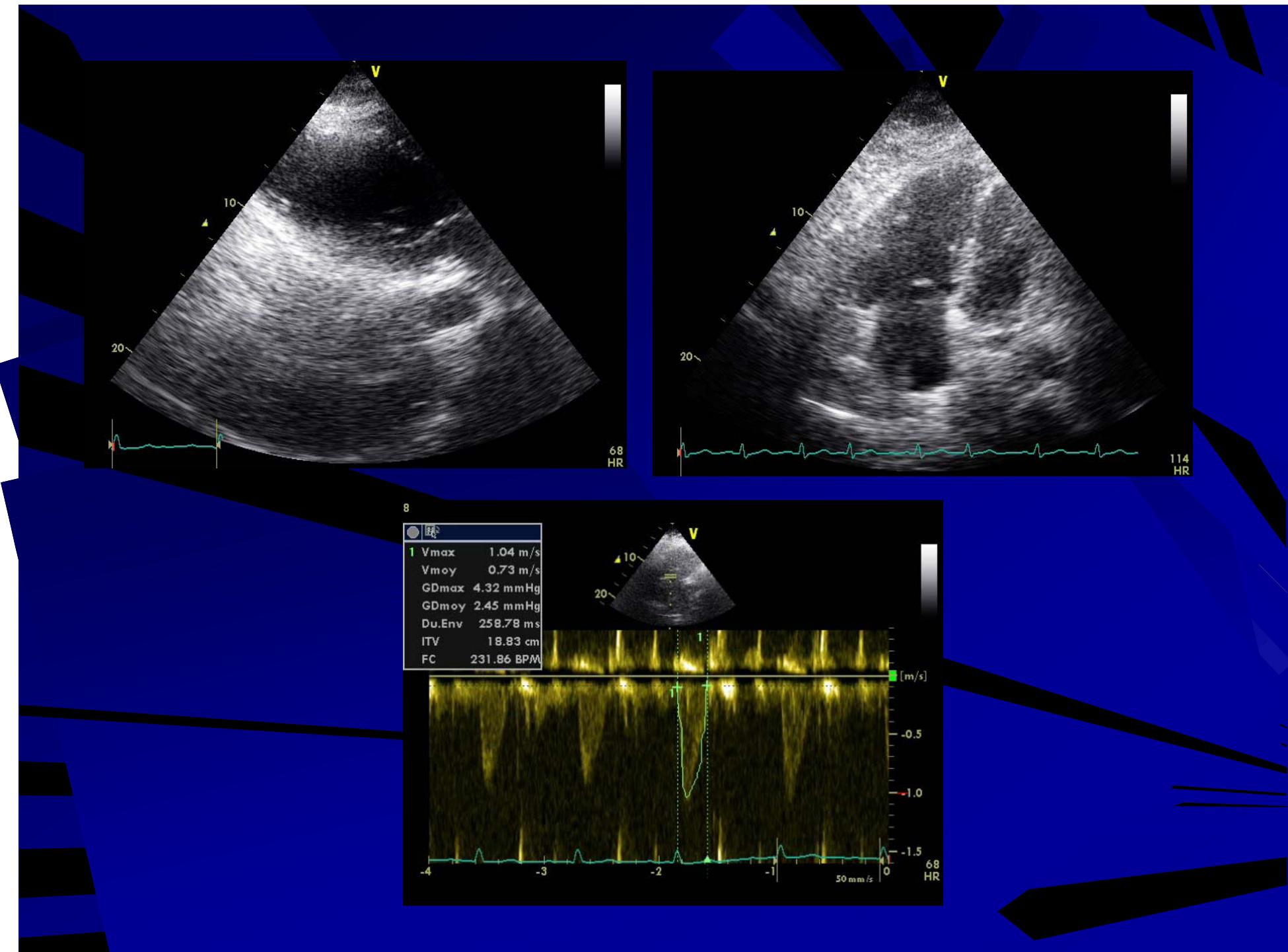
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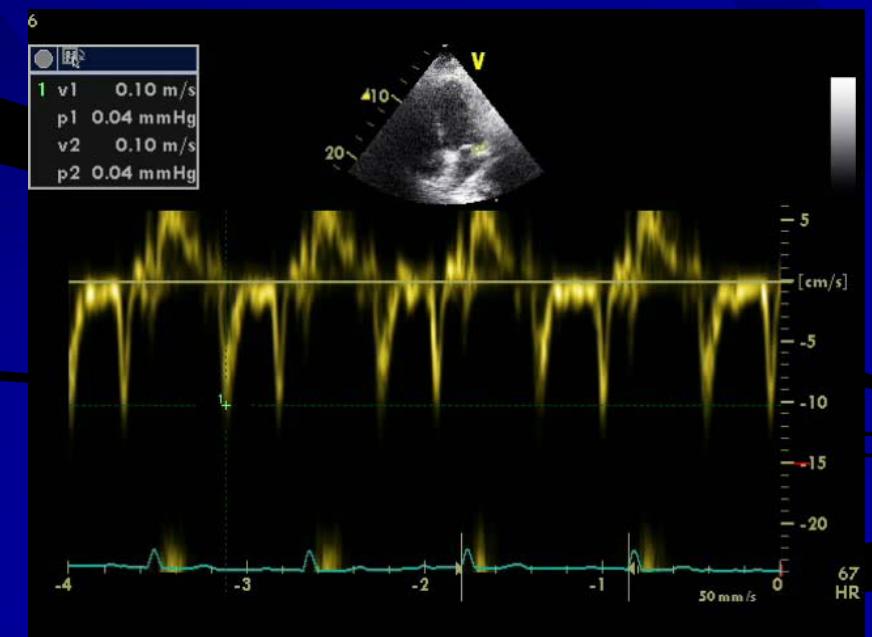
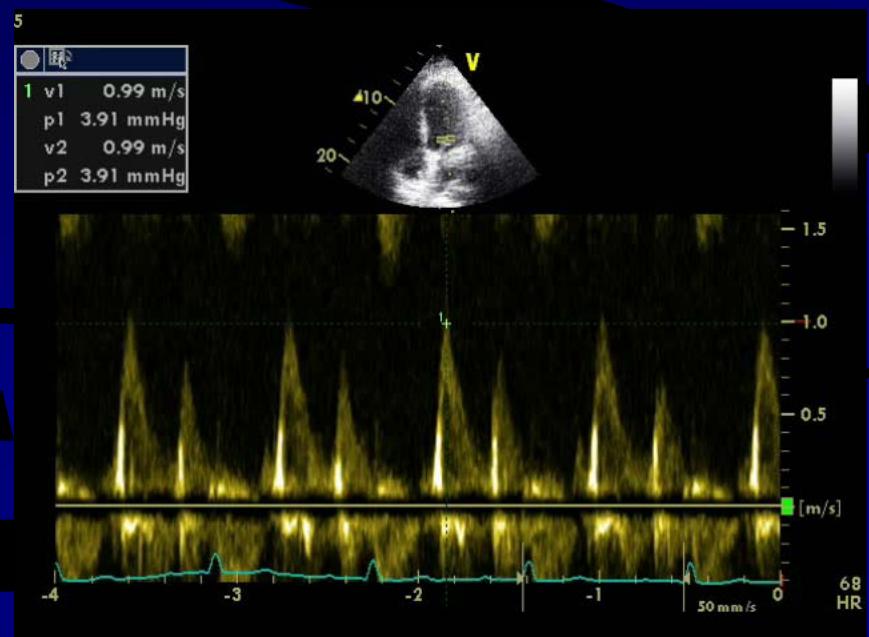
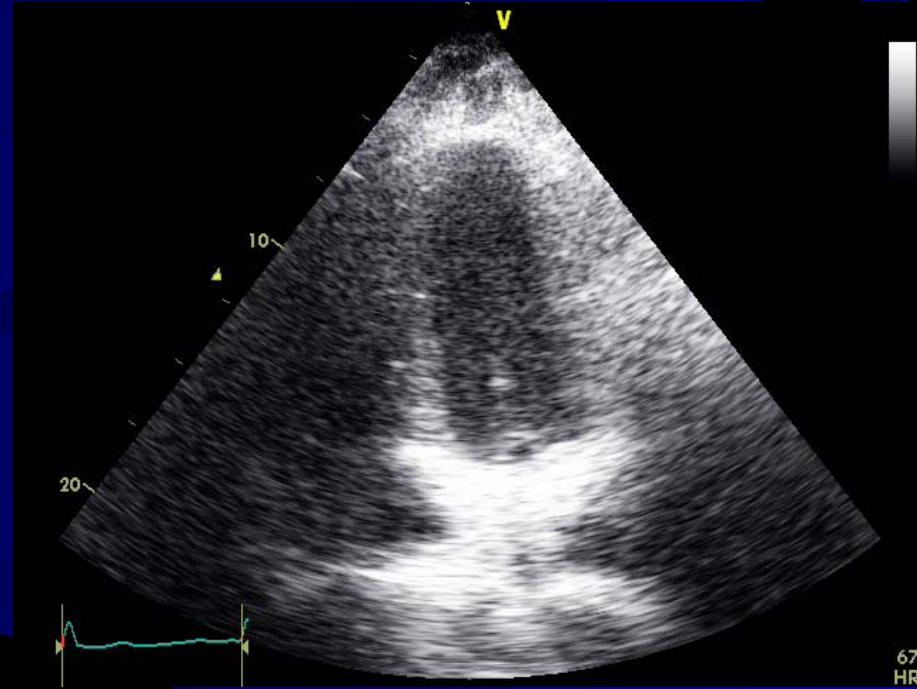


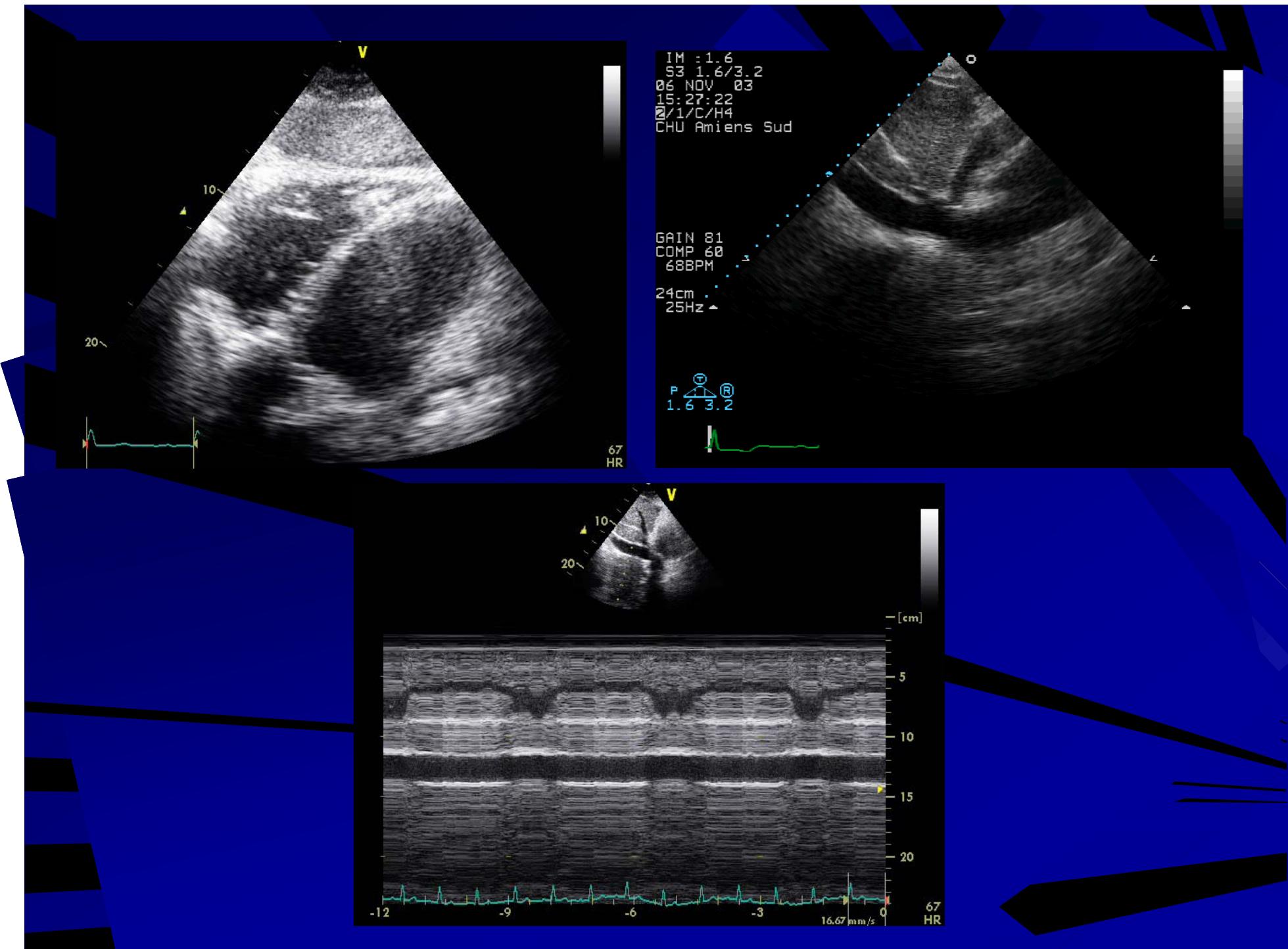
# Findings in septic shock patients

- Left diastolic dysfunction
- Right systolic dysfunction
  - Observed in 30% of patients (AVB)
  - Due to sepsis (intrinsic myocardial depression)
  - Increased by acute cor pulmonale (increased pulmonary vascular resistance)
  - RV dilation, paradoxal septum, PAPH.
  - Increased by mechanical ventilation with high PEP and tidal volume.
  - Dobutamine or norepinephrine?









# Conclusions

## ■ Septic shock

- Cardiac output, ejection fraction, preload-dependance, right function and pressures should be assess.
- Hypovolemia is constant
- Systolic dysfunction of both ventricle is frequent without cavity dilation



# Impact thérapeutique de l'échocardiographie en USI

1. Vignon et al, Chest 1994
2. Pavlides et al, AHJ 1990
3. Pearson et al, AHJ 1990
4. Poaelert et al, Chest 1995
5. Hwang et al, Chest 1993
6. Heidenreich et al, JACC 1995
7. Sohn et al, Mayo Clin Proc 1995
8. Oh et al, AJC, 1990
9. Vignon et al, AJRCCM 1998 (Abst)
10. Benjamin et al, JCVVA 1998 (Abst)
11. Megarbane, Axler et al, Rea, Urg 99 (Abst)
12. Slama et al. Int Care Med 1998

TEE > TTE

24-48 % patients concernés

Intervention chirurgicale dans 10-29% des cas

En période périopératoire, changements thérapeutiques fréquents et majeurs

30-58% résultats discordants entre ETT/ETO et CAP

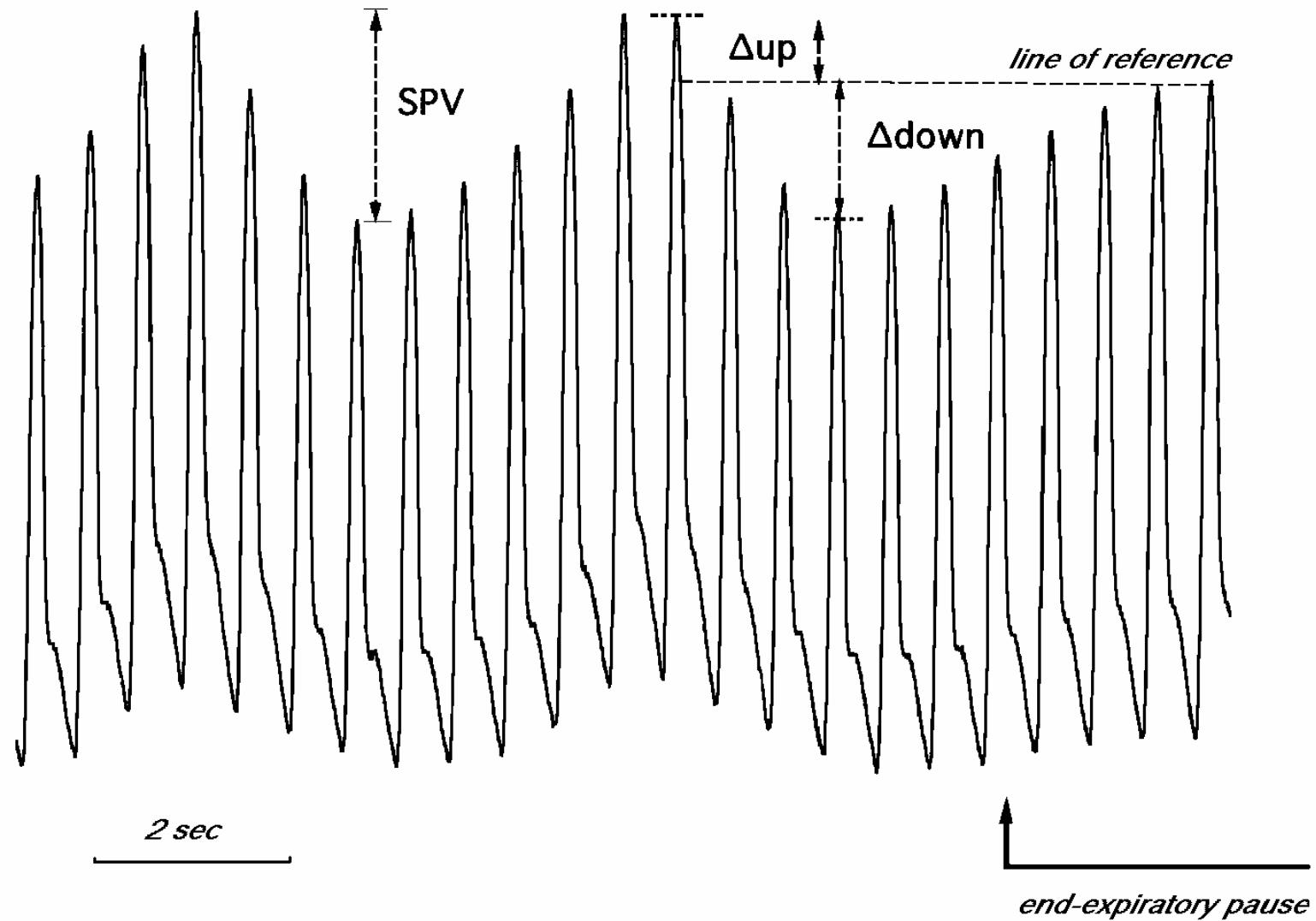
# Limitations of static values

|       | 13 Pts                                    | Pre Infusion | Post Infusion |        |
|-------|---|--------------|---------------|--------|
| RAP   | mmHg                                      | 10.6 ± 2.9   | 12.4 ± 3.3    | ns     |
| PAOP  | mmHg                                      | 13.1 ± 3.7   | 14.7 ± 3      | .002 * |
| MAP   | mmHg                                      | 79.7 ± 11.6  | 81 ± 12.4     | ns     |
| H R   | beat/min                                  | 102 ± 25     | 101 ± 25.1    | ns     |
| MPAP  | mmHg                                      | 27.7 ± 5.6   | 29.5 ± 5.4    | ns     |
| CI    | l/min/m <sup>2</sup>                      | 4.3 ± 1.7    | 4.6 ± 1.8     | ns     |
| SI    | ml/m <sup>2</sup>                         | 42.7 ± 12.7  | 45.3 ± 14     | ns     |
| LVEDA | cm <sup>2</sup> /m <sup>2</sup>           | 8.6 ± 1.7    | 9.1 ± 1.8     | ns     |
| LVESA | cm <sup>2</sup> /m <sup>2</sup>           | 3.5 ± 1.5    | 3.6 ± 1.5     | ns     |
| SVRI  | dyne.sec.cm <sup>-5</sup> /m <sup>2</sup> | 1368 ± 473   | 1343 ± 489    | ns     |
| PVRI  | dyne.sec.cm <sup>-5</sup> /m <sup>2</sup> | 327 ± 131    | 311 ± 142     | ns     |

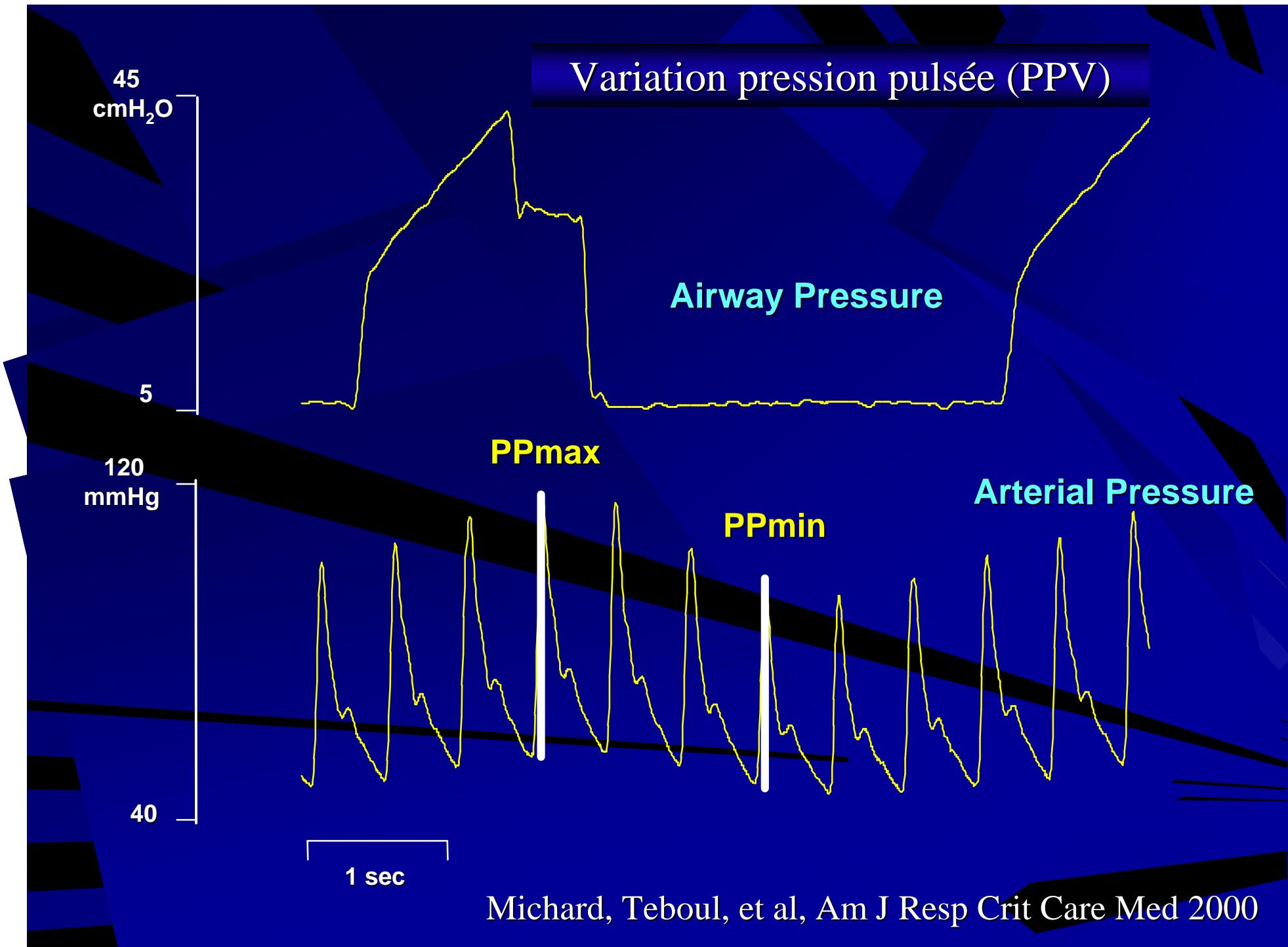
Effects of rapid fluid loading of 500 ml saline on hemodynamic and echocardiographic parameters in 13 critically ill patients.

Small hemodynamic effect of typical rapid volume infusions in critically ill patients.  
 O. Axler, et al. **Crit. Care Med.**, 1997, 25: 965-970.

## Variation pression systolique (SPV)



Michard, Teboul et al, Am J Resp Crit Care Med 2000

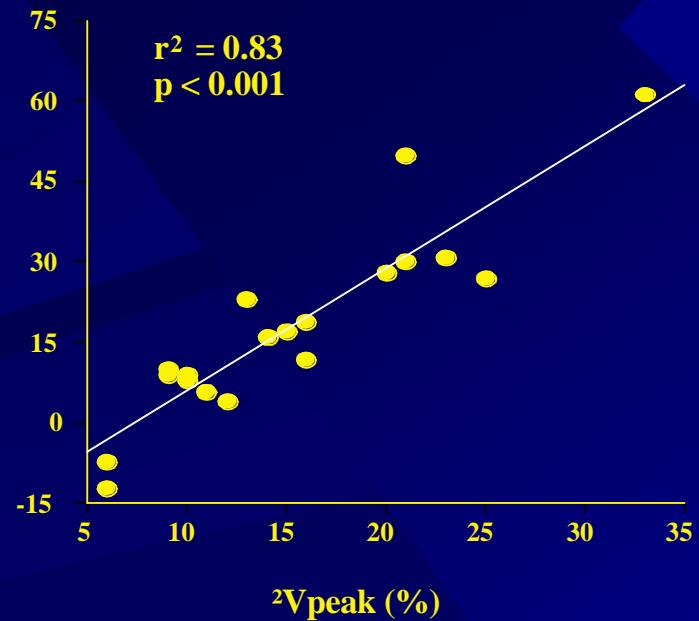


## Variation pression pulsée (PPV)

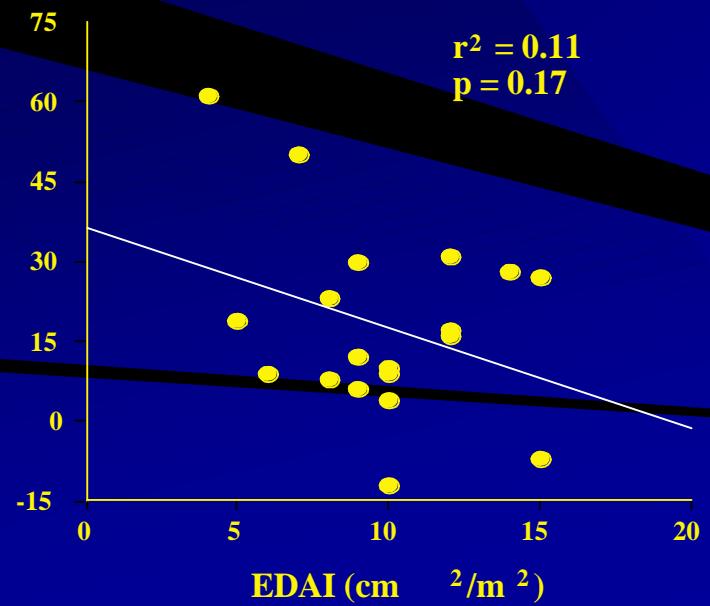
$$\Delta \text{ PP } (\%) = 100 \cdot \frac{\text{PPmax} - \text{PPmin}}{(\text{PPmax} + \text{PPmin}) / 2}$$

Michard et al, Am J Resp Crit Care Med 2000

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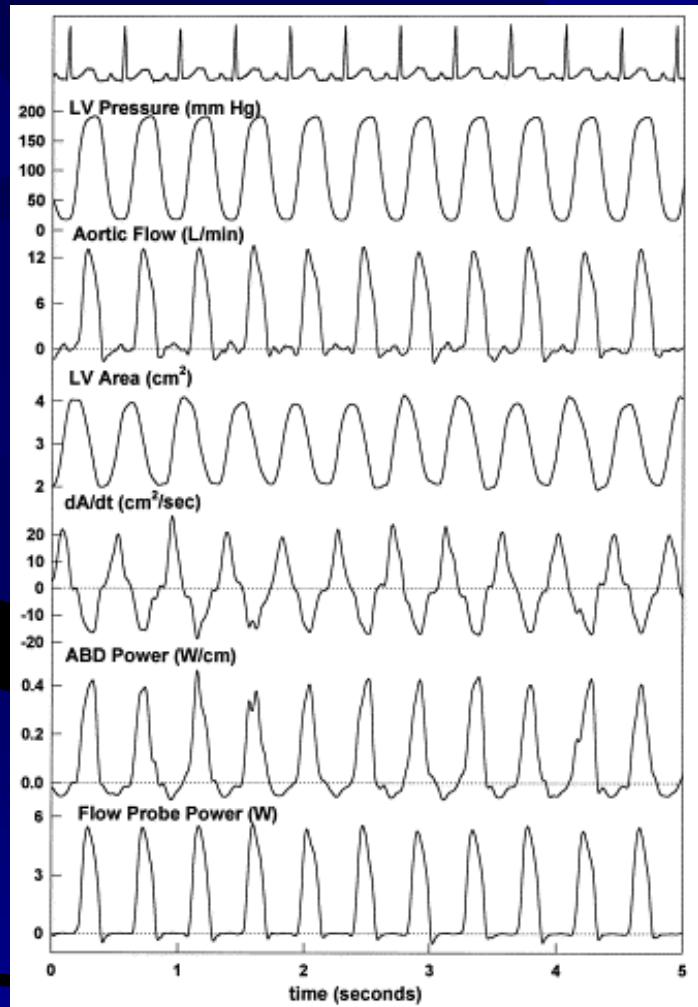


Feissel, Michard, Mangin, Ruyer, Faller, Teboul (Chest 2001)

# Complications de l'ETO

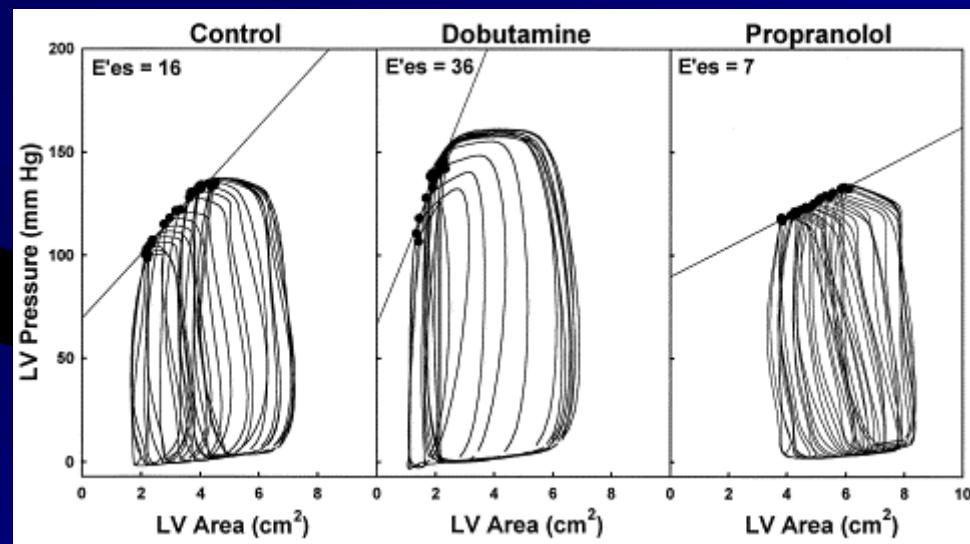
## ■ Ambulatoire :

- Mortalité : 0,0098 (10218 patients, Daniel Circulation 1991)-0,026 (3827 patients, Seward JASE 1992)
- Perforation oesophagienne : quelques cas (2 Amiens) entre des mains expertes.
- Complications majeures : bronchospasme, tachycardie ventriculaire, insuffisance cardiaque : 0,2% (Seward JASE 1992;5:288) à 0,5 (Khandheria JACC 1991)
- Complications mineures : 2,7% (Seward JASE 1992;5:288)



A sample plot of simultaneous  
LV pressure, aortic flow, echocardiographic ABD cross-sectional area,  
dA/dt, ABD power and flow probe power.

Takagaki M, Heart. 2002 Aug;88(2):170-6.



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# Echec d'introduction

**Mais ETO parfois difficile voire impossible dans 2-5% des cas : cause la plus fréquente inexpérience du manipulateur, mais aussi due à une anomalie anatomique (Daniel, Slama)**